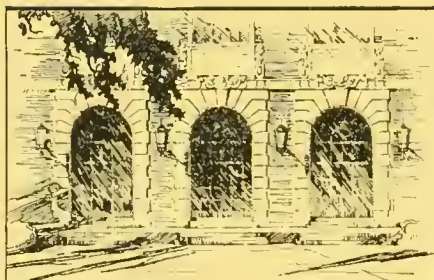


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## *On the Hill*

### By Way of Reminiscence

The time is fast approaching when the Brown Alumni Monthly is to be transferred "free and untrammelled" to the Associated Alumni. The last number to be issued under the present management and control is the one scheduled to appear in May.

Naturally the editor of the Monthly is inclined to reminiscence as he contemplates this imminent occurrence. He has seen business managers and associate and assistant editors come and go. He has witnessed the development of the magazine from a small sixteen paged periodical to its present proportions. He has watched the subscription list expand from a negligible total to its current gratifying figures. He has answered "here" at every call of the printer with the exception of a single month in the year 1902, when he absented himself for a few weeks on a European trip and left the burden to Associate Editor Joseph N. Ashton. Without any special feeling of pride or self-congratulation he notes that this means that, beginning with the initial issue for June, 1900, he has personally directed the preparation thus far, including the present issue, of exactly 306 numbers. It has all been in the day's work. Certainly he did not look forward to any such length of labor when the modest enterprise was launched.

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#### *How the Monthly Began*

It may not be out of place to recall some of the circumstances of the venture in its earliest era. Dr. Faunce had come to Providence as President of the University. He saw an illustrated article on Brown, by the present writer, in the New England Mag-

azine, and suggested that it be reprinted as a University document. The writer countered with another suggestion—that the money be used instead to establish an alumni magazine. To this proposal Dr. Faunce gave ready assent. He called a meeting of class secretaries at which the matter was broached and steps were taken to proceed with the undertaking. A committee of three to further the venture was appointed, consisting of Dean Winslow Upton, '75; Robert P. Brown, '71; and Principal Walter B. Jacobs, '82, of the East Side High School. Mr. Brown became the treasurer of the committee and of the Brown Alumni Magazine Company. Thereafter he was the business head of the magazine, although the active oversight of its subscription lists, distribution and the like was in the hands of William L. Clark, '01, now an Episcopal clergyman at Brookline, Massachusetts. The other active officers of the publication were Henry R. Palmer, '90, editor, and Joseph N. Ashton, '91, associate editor.

The committee on publication held a number of meetings, at which the enterprise took gradual shape. It decided to create an advisory board of alumni who should choose their own successors. This board at the outset consisted of W. W. Keen, H. K. Porter, Francis Lawton, R. P. Brown, W. V. Kellen, Winslow Upton, W. B. Jacobs, Zechariah Chafee, Gardner Colby and A. C. Matteson. Of these ten Brown graduates five—Keen, Kellen, Chafee, Jacobs and Matteson—still survive.

The advisory board was derived from the similar board of the Yale Alumni Weekly, the name of which

publication was influential in causing the adoption of the name of the Brown Alumni Monthly. Another such influence was the contemporary establishment in 1900 of the Princeton Alumni Weekly, with its analogous title. We have lately heard the suggestion that it might be desirable in the future to change the name of the Monthly, since the word "Monthly" is of no constructive or positive character, but merely shows the frequency of the magazine's appearance. As we said a moment ago, the Monthly is to be delivered "free and untrammelled" to the Associated Alumni next May, and that organization will of course have the right to retain the old name or modify it or choose a new and original one. But we cannot forbear to put in a plea for the name as it stands and strongly recommend its indefinite continuance.

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#### *In Favor of the "Monthly"*

A historic instance of the satisfactory use of the word Monthly comes to mind in the case of the Atlantic Monthly, in whose long record and present repute we can all take satisfaction. It would surely be a mistake for its managers to alter its designation to the "Atlantic Magazine" or anything of the sort. There is a distinct value in a longtime name. We think at the moment of the Literary Digest, the title of which must have a tremendous business and financial value, though it does not strike us as being one that we would select if we were charged with instituting such a publication. Again, the Saturday Evening Post appears on Thursday, so that its name is not only a suggestion of the frequency of its publication but adds an impression contrary to the fact. Yet we suppose that those

who are responsible for its prosperity would not consider any change in the name, which is a perfectly good one, all things being considered, and must be a highly valuable trademark

Further, as to the word "Alumni," which we have heard discussed as possibly superfluous in the title of this magazine. We have the distinct opinion that it also should be left alone. The Monthly was established as an alumni publication, and in our judgment should remain an alumni publication to the end of the chapter. We would be sorry indeed to see it pass from the control and management of the graduates of Brown University and become a catch-all for University interests of every character. Our own policy has been one of loyal cooperation with the University. We have habitually tempered our personal views, indeed in many instances we have subordinated or foregone them, for the purpose of keeping the magazine in accord with the University's policies. Occasionally we have spoken our mind in opposition to its policies or trends, but we cannot recall a single instance in which we have been guided by any other motive than what seemed to us, on due deliberation, to be for the good of the institution.

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#### *Alumni and University*

The most conspicuous instance of the Monthly's taking a stand in favor of a change in University policy was many years ago when it urged with all the vigor it possessed that the government of Brown should be freed from denominational restrictions. We issued a questionnaire to all graduates and the result was an overwhelming majority in favor of an undenominational charter. Unfortunately, as we look at it, the change was not then made nor has it yet been completed, though a wholesome beginning in the right direction has been made. A group of Trustees on a non-denominational basis has been provided for, and it is no longer required that the President shall be of any particular sect. But as the time approaches for our retirement from the field of col-

lege journalism we are as sure as we were at the outset that the best interests of the University lie in placing it on a non-denominational level with the progressive institutions that no longer demand or permit control by any one religious group or organization.

The word "Alumni" in the title describes the original purpose of the magazine. First and last it has been an alumni publication. We believe that it would be unwise, from the viewpoint of the alumni and that of the University also, for it to become in any way an official publication of the University or sustain any direct and formal connection with the University. It should—in our judgment—retain its right to comment upon and to criticise University policies and programs. It should represent the graduate point of view. The University itself, it seems to us, should welcome its continued existence as a helpful friend and cooperator but with its factual independence guaranteed. A study of other alumni publications indicates that most of them have no official connection with the institution, whose alumni they serve.

Again let us say that if the future

demonstrates the desirability of a formal connection between the University and the Monthly, it is in the full power of those in control to proceed along such new lines. But in this last period of our association with the magazine, as we approach the Maytide wire, we have felt it timely to speak in this way.

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#### *Gratitude to All*

Finally, we have only gratitude to all those who have helped to keep the Monthly alive and cheerful during more than three decades. As actually the last word at this time, let us add that our long connection with the magazine has compelled us to maintain a close contact with Brown University. We have often thought that our fondness for the ancient institution might have been less ardent than it is if we had not been so circumstanced. It has often indeed been suggested to our mind that the best way to be loyal to any cause is to get into the harness. Washington Gladden summarized the truth in the unforgettable line of his best-known hymn:

"In work that keeps faith sweet and strong."

## Brown University and The Community

*A Radio Talk (in part) over WJAR on Jan. 9, 1931, under the auspices of the League of Women Voters, by President Clarence A. Barbour.*

I am privileged to speak as President of Brown University, the oldest of the educational institutions of the Commonwealth. For a century and for sixty-seven years of another century it has been a factor in the life and work of Rhode Island. Its alumni are about the circle of the globe, but it has not been unmindful of the fact that Rhode Island is its home. To this City and State it is indebted in many ways and in turn it has gladly acknowledged its debt by endeavoring to serve in manifold ways. Brown

University is woven into the fabric of the City and State so inextricably that it would be impossible to disentangle the threads. Economically, politically, educationally, religiously, it is a part of Rhode Island. Its alumni and alumnae are in every walk of life. No community in the State, even the smallest, is without them. It has brought into the State resources which have become part of its wealth. Forty generations of students have come from every State in the Union and from beyond the seas to dwell here for their undergraduate years, and then many of them to carry the name and fame not only of their Alma Mater but of Providence and Rhode Island to the ends of the earth,



some of them to win renown in high and outstanding positions of trust and responsibility, many of them to serve in useful though less conspicuous ways to advance the stability and permanency of our national ideals and achievement. All through the years the Faculty of Brown have given largely of time, ability and strength to cooperate in altruistic enterprises which have carried forward the community life. Presidents of Brown, such as Wayland and Andrews and Faunce, have placed themselves at the service of their fellow citizens in ways which are gladly recognized by many within the hearing of my voice.

No human institution is perfect. No history is without its faults of omission and of commission, but I am far within the bounds of truth when I say that Brown has not been unmindful of her debt to the community, both City and State, which has cherished her with such pride in her work and with such kindly and sympathetic comradeship.

Tonight I am pleading for an ever closer cooperation in the furtherance of the common welfare. There are many utilized resources in a common attitude devoted to action for the common good. Many things we can hold in universal interest and endeavor, without regard to race or creed or party. Culture and knowledge and taste and practical skill and money—any form of power—are impaired and perverted to the degree in which they miss the element of ministry to the common good and hold themselves absolved from debt to mankind. Life does not consist in having, but in having and using. That conception is growing. It is very manifest in the realm of material possessions. We are passing through a period of financial depression, but we may well believe that the dawn of a new day, and a better day because a day of less inflation and frenzy, is in the eastern sky. In any time the principle holds unchanged. It is within the memory of some of us when the average possessor of great wealth was a scorn in the minds and the speech of multitudes of people in this country. It is perfectly clear to anyone who has an eye to see that the

conception of the stewardship of wealth has made immense progress within the past twenty to thirty years. A large number of wealthy men and women have evidently accepted and are living by a principle which makes them objects not of scorn and criticism, but of grateful appreciation. And those of smaller means may be equally false or equally true to the principle of stewardship.

My friends, we are not our own. "No man liveth unto himself." None of us can live unto ourselves and live without reproach and shame. We are part of our environment. We belong in the universal frame of things. Our existence involves relation to other people, actual relation, mutual relation. If we refuse practical recognition of such relation, we are abnormal. We cannot truly live and merely possess. We are out of line and out of touch with the great order of the universe. If we keep ourselves and our belongings to ourselves, if we merely accumulate, if we merely grow big in fortune, in knowledge, in culture, in anything—if we merely accumulate, we are a deformity in the world. Our inheritance as citizens comes to us as a trust, and we must administer it in a spirit of goodwill

and stewardship. That is what I am urging tonight. Too many things we permit to divide us. We are tempted to cynicism, to suspicion, to the attributing of false motives, to selfishness, but we need not yield to that temptation.

We hear much about patriotism. There are false and spurious brands of reputed and somewhat reputable patriotism. Much that passes for patriotism is not patriotism at all. Mere love of country is not necessarily patriotism; it may be utterly selfish. Mere pride in country is not necessarily patriotism; it may be and often is a form of insolence and vanity. What is patriotism? It is essentially one thing, the losing of personal in public aims, the right conception of the community and of our duty to it, a passion for the gain of the people at large at the price, if need be, of our own personal inconvenience and loss.

I am speaking to my fellow citizens in these brief moments in a plea for increasing cooperation and action, sane and thoughtful, sympathetic and considerate, courageous and kindly, that the interests of our people may be most wisely and rightly advanced and that the welfare of the individual may come to mean the welfare of all.

## America's Noble Experiment In Education

*A CHAPEL ADDRESS AT  
BROWN BY PROFESSOR  
HENRY T. FOWLER*

America is engaged in more than one noble experiment. That is nothing new for America. She has long been launching forth upon noble experiments at which foreign observers have looked, now with raillery or pity, now with fear—at any rate, with superior assurance that the experiment was certain to fail, a point of view always shared by some Americans who are confident the thing can't be done.

What is the common feature of the experiments that makes them noble? I suspect that its source is to be found in America's unquenchable faith that

the truly good things of life ought to be shared by an ever-increasing proportion of the people. That seems to me what makes so many of our social experiments noble and also makes them seem to many perfectly preposterous.

You and I and, even more intensely, our honored Vice-President here, the Chairman of our Curriculum Committee, have all been for some years past a part of one of these absurd experiments, one of these grandly noble attempts to do the impossible!

And this is the experiment in the midst of which we live and move and have our being: the attempt to open the advantages of secondary and col-



legiate education to a vastly larger proportion of the people than has ever been done anywhere at any time. I chanced to see some figures last summer which interested me. They indicated that in Germany seven young people out of each hundred of high school age are in school, in New England, seventy out of each hundred. Even as compared with England's 14 per cent., our number enjoying the advantages of secondary education is five times as great.

Thinking back to my boyhood in a little city of 20,000, in New York State, I realize that secondary education was rather an aristocratic privilege. There were in the city three young ladies' seminaries, as they were then commonly called, and as many boys' boarding schools, besides a prosperous private day school for boys, of secondary grade, and innumerable private, primary schools. The public high school was a comparatively small affair; yet one of the shrewdest men in that part of the country, a lawyer and political leader of New York State, observed that the high school had made more loafers than any other agency in town. It made boys, he said, "too good to work with their hands as their fathers had done and not good enough for anything else." In the years since that time, all those seven private schools have gone to the wall. Meanwhile, there and throughout the land, high school attendance has increased by leaps and bounds, taking in more and more of all economic classes and racial backgrounds, and I scarcely think we have become a nation of loafers. My impression is that as a people we are rather remarkable for our willingness to take any honest job we can get, the best that is open at the time, whether it is just what we would prefer or not.

Now, in these more recent years, the flood of students, as we know, has swept down over the colleges. At Brown our numbers have more than doubled in the last twenty-five years, yes in the last sixteen years; our total enrollment first reached 1000 in the year 1914-15. Yet it has proved absolutely impossible to receive all who come after successfully completing a secondary course. It isn't pos-

sible to get the resources to provide the buildings and teachers necessary to care for the applicants. I sometimes smile to myself when I recall that I was graduated at a "big university," scientific school, law school, medical school, divinity school, art school; and the total enrollment in all those divisions, in my senior year, added up to 1477 students. Brown, today called a small university, without those professional schools, has 50 per cent. more students than that.

An almost greater change has come in the outlook and plans for a future career among the undergraduate students. More than a quarter of the men of my class went into law. Of the Brown class of that same year, almost a quarter entered the Christian ministry and nearly as many the law. Things are somewhat different today.

To meet the changed conditions, college officers are working almost as feverishly as modern, high-pressure salesmen, devising and trying out new plans and methods. As one looks out over the field, it is difficult to discover any clear tendencies; there is such a variety of experiments, even in the older and more conservative institutions. One wide-spread trend we may note, however, the tendency to make a sharper difference between the first two years and the last two years of the college course. The enormously rapid spread of junior colleges, especially in the West and South, marks the recognition that many may profitably take the first two years of college work, of whom only a part should go on to the last two years. If the junior colleges continue to multiply as they have been doing, it may not be many years before every important city has its junior college just as inevitably as its junior high schools.

In some of the older institutions of the East, the same tendency to divide more sharply at the close of the sophomore year is appearing. Admission to the last two years being made correspondingly more mature, with some requirements that have heretofore distinguished graduate study.

It is all highly interesting because it is such a complex and difficult situation, and it is so well worth trying to solve.

Past experience may give us some encouragement that we shall work it out. I was much interested in a letter of Jared Sparks's, published in the *Brown Herald*. When he wrote, a hundred years ago, you recall, it seemed to him that "all the world must despair of building Harvard up into a university." I think that today the world would admit that Harvard has been built up into a university, even judged by the standards of European universities. And I believe that Harvard and the rest of us are going to solve the problem of extending higher educational facilities to a larger proportion of the nation. Anyway, we are all a part of an experiment that is worth trying, one of America's preposterous, noble experiments.

When Justice Hughes as Governor of New York had just won his fight for the anti race-track gambling bill, he came down to Commencement, a boy out of school. Speaking from this platform after the alumni luncheon, he told of a group sitting around a table in a New York City saloon where one of the party exclaimed "Why that feller Hughes is a regular Gospel wagon feller!" When the merriment of his fellow-alumni had subsided somewhat, Mr. Hughes went on very earnestly: "No, no, he's just a Brown-brad boy trying to see what is the next step to take and to keep his eyes fixed in the general direction that all steps should point." That policy of "the next step" with the eyes fixed in the right direction has carried him rather far in working out the solution of the problems of New York State and then of those of national and international scope.

It occurs to me that the way you and I do the day's work this year may have its part in hastening or delaying the solution of the great educational problem, right here at Brown.

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*Dr. Barbour in New York*

President Clarence A. Barbour and Frank L. Hinckley '91 were present at the annual dinner of The Pilgrims, held at the Hotel Plaza, New York, on Jan. 8. The guest of honor was Earl Beauchamp, Chancellor of the University of London and leader of

the Liberal Party in the House of Lords. Bishop James DeWolf Perry '12, honorary, and former Ambassador Jeames W. Gerard welcomed the

guest of the evening on behalf of The Pilgrims. President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia University presided.

## Name for the Men's College

*Editor Brown Alumni Monthly:*

Much has been said in the Alumni Monthly relative to the changing of the name of the Undergraduate College for Men in Brown University. As has been said, the lack of such a change may, in the future, lead to serious misunderstandings.

Here is a proposition:

More Brown men, now living, were in college under Dr. Faunce than under any other president. The name of Dr. Faunce is as well known as the name of Brown itself. There are few colleges in the country that have had a president in office for as long a period as Dr. Faunce was with Brown. I suggest, therefore, that the name of the men's college be changed to Faunce College.

This would not be lessening the fame of Nicholas Brown, for the name of the University need not be changed. A second objection that might be raised, tho that is a very minor one, is the problem of the college mascot and the

University seal. Well, that is easy: just keep them as they are.

That is about all I can say on the subject, but I hope that those in authority will not consider themselves bound to continue the name of Brown with the men's college. The name of Brown University above the names of the colleges should be sufficient.

I hope that this may not appear to be too radical.

Yours truly,

John E. Flemming, Jr., '33.  
Brown University,  
Jan. 21, 1931.

In response to the suggestion of this writer, we would say that, much as we appreciate the great work done for Brown by President Faunce, we would be unalterably opposed to any change of the name that would remove the name of Brown from that portion of the University devoted to the instruction of undergraduate men. Our own feeling is that "Brown College" best meets the situation.

Editor.

acter, bearing, initiative, and general acceptability. The candidate himself furnishes, by means of the new application blank, detailed personnel information regarding his background and environment, his special aptitudes and interests, his educational motivation, and his reasons for choosing Brown. Finally, as it makes its decisions, the Committee on Admissions has before it a report of the applicant's interview, either with an officer of the Committee or with an alumnus of the University. As can readily be seen, it is the present intention of the Committee to have at its command all available information concerning every candidate that its selection may be based upon positive evidence of genuine proficiency or intelligent ambition."

For the administration of this policy, Brown University owes a debt of gratitude to Dean Mason, whose genius for dealing with young men was unsurpassed. We shall miss him in the future, but Brown must carry on in accordance with the policies which he laid down.

Among the most important of the methods used in determining the qualifications of a candidate has been the personal interview either with a member of the Committee on Admissions or, in the case of applicants from a greater distance, with a Brown alumnus living in the boy's own neighborhood. In the future, as in the past, the Committee on Admissions will bespeak the interest and counsel of its alumni in bringing to our attention desirable candidates and interviewing those who apply directly to us.

The Class of 1934 has not yet been tried out in the examination room, the ultimate test of ability to do the required scholastic work, but already certain facts with regard to this class are available.

First, we may inquire where they come from. It has been the policy in recent years to try to secure a national representation so that our student body might be recruited from all parts of the country. The present class has come to us from various

## The Class of 1934

*By Professor Clinton H. Currier*

The present Freshman Class at Brown is the third to be admitted under the modified policy with reference to admission instituted by the late Kenneth O. Mason, Dean of Freshmen and Director of Admissions. This policy was forced upon us in view of the large number of applicants and the necessity of limiting enrolment. Under the circumstances Brown University has found it necessary to scrutinize more carefully the credentials of its applicants in order to select those who seem to be, both in intellect and in personality, wholly deserving of the opportunities that are offered them. The present system

may perhaps be best summed up in the words of Dean Mason, as written for the Monthly in February, 1929. At that time he wrote:

"It is the duty of an admissions officer to weigh personality, manners, and conduct at the same time as he considers intellectual ability. With this in mind, there has been set up at Brown a system of selection distinctly different from that in force even a few years ago. All applicants for admission are now required to present certain credentials in addition to credit by certificate in the specific subjects required for admission. From the school principal comes a supplementary statement giving information concerning the applicant's ability, char-

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Washington (State)	1	0.2
California	1	0.2
Minnesota	1	0.2
Florida	1	0.2
Arizona	1	0.2

Total 405

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It will be noted that 41.6 per cent. come from outside of New England, a percentage slightly greater than that of a year ago. In the past twenty years the per cent. of Freshmen from outside of New England has nearly doubled, as is shown by the following table:

## Per cent. of Freshmen from outside New England

Year of Entrance	Per cent.
1910	21.4
1911	26.8
1912	24.9
1913	31.3
1914	19.1
1915	23.0
1916	31.2
1917	21.2
1918	21.8
1919	32.6
1920	37.3
1921	42.1
1922	39.5
1923	44.9
1924	44.3

1925	37.6	1928	41.0
1926	40.0	1929	39.1
1927	41.8	1930	41.6

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Our Freshmen have come to us this year from 193 schools. The situation, as compared with previous years, is shown in the following table:

## Number of Schools Represented

	In New England		Outside N. E.		Total	Total	Grand
	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	Pub.	Priv.	total
1924	70	23	62	45	132	68	200
1925	77	23	62	31	139	54	193
1926	62	32	52	38	114	70	184
1927	64	33	64	55	128	88	216
1928	71	25	60	38	131	63	194
1929	66	34	66	42	132	76	208
1930	58	39	46	50	104	89	193

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In 117 cases Freshmen report that relatives of theirs had previously attended Brown University; in particular, 27 fathers had attended Brown and 2 mothers had attended Pembroke, as shown in the following list:

## With Parents Who Attended Brown

Son	Father	Year
Knight Ames	Stephen Brownell Ames	1906n.
Coburn A. Buxton	G. Edward Buxton	1902
Henry G. Carpenter, Jr.	Henry Godfrey Carpenter	1906
Thomas B. Casey	Charles Dyer Casey	1904
Raymond H. Chace	Elmer S. Chace	1901
Donald B. Fletcher	Alfred Wayland Fletcher	1906
Walter O. Gager	Walter Mason Gager	1909
John M. Gross	Edward Tudor Gross	1901
Richard K. Hapgood	Ernest Granger Hapgood	1901
Benjamin W. Holmes	Clarence Warren Holmes	1905
Bertram E. Humphries	George A. Humphries	Sp. 1900
Harold C. K. Johns	Rev. Charles H. Johns	Grad. 1931
Edward S. Jones, 2d	Frederick Clark Jones	1904
William R. Johnson	William Carter Johnson	1901n.
Malcolm C. Lang	Herbert Bowman Lang	1896
Bancroft Littlefield	Ivory Littlefield	1909
John A. Mitchell, Jr.	John Andrew Mitchell	Sp. 1907
Edwin S. Osler	Charles Lemuel Osler	1903
Chester H. Page	Frank Allen Page	1901
Ralph Reckling, Jr.	Ralph Weeden Reckling	1910
Richard Rice	Dr. William Orrin Rice	1903
Edward N. Robinson, Jr.	Edward North Robinson	1906
Roy H. Smith, Jr.	Roy Harmon Smith	1901
Robert L. Smith	William Armour Smith	1908
Uteley W. Smith	Chester Wilson Smith	1906
Robert A. Vose	Frederick Alvah Vose	1899
Robert L. Winsor	Harry Draper Winsor	1909
Rodman B. Allen (Mother)	Henrietta Griswold Benson	1899
Donald B. Fletcher	Ethel Congdon Colley	1906

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In all, 99 fathers were reported as college graduates, 57 colleges being represented, Yale standing second to Brown on the list, with 5 fathers noted as Yale graduates. 40 mothers were reported as being college gradu-



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ates, with 31 different colleges represented.

The following schools have sent us this year more than five representatives:

## Public Schools

- 24 Hope Street High School, Providence.
- 19 Classical High School, Providence.
- 15 Technical High School, Providence.
- 7 Pawtucket Sr. High School, Pawtucket, R. I.
- 6 Cranston High School, Cranston, R. I.

## Private Schools

- 11 Moses Brown School, Providence.
- 10 Horace Mann School, New York City.
- 9 Mercersburg Academy, Mercersburg, Penna.
- 8 Williston Academy, Easthampton, Mass.
- 7 Pawling School, Pawling, N. Y.
- 7 Westminster School, Simsbury, Conn.
- 6 Worcester Academy, Worcester, Mass.

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The occupations of the fathers of our Freshman Class, as usual, are many and varied. The details are shown in the following table:

## Occupations of Parents

Occupations	No.	p. c.
Business		
Accounting	4	1.0
Advertising	3	0.7
Artisan	6	1.5
Banker	3	0.7
Broker	11	2.7
Clerk	3	0.7
Contractor	7	1.7
Executive	65	16.1
Grocer	7	1.7
Hotel Owner	2	0.5
Insurance	15	3.7
Jeweler	12	3.0
Laborer	30	7.4
Manufacturer	33	8.2
Merchant	24	6.0
Miscellaneous	14	3.5
Newspaper	3	0.7
Painter	1	0.2

Realtor	17	4.2
Restaurant Owner	2	0.5
Salesman	16	4.0
Tailor	6	1.5

Sub total 285 70.2

## Professions

Architect	7	1.7
Artist	2	0.5
Civil Service	14	3.5
Clergyman	6	1.5
Dentist	6	1.5
Doctor	16	4.0
Druggist	1	0.2
Educator	12	3.0
Engineer	22	5.4
Farmer	7	1.7
Lawyer	17	4.2
Miscellaneous	5	1.2
Musician	1	0.2
Publisher	1	0.2
Unknown	4	1.0

Sub total 120 29.8

Of the 405 parents, 21 are deceased and 11 retired.

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As usual, Freshmen have been asked to list the career which they now propose to follow after graduation. The results have been tabulated in the following list:

## Proposed Career at Time of Entrance

Career	No.	p. c.
Advertising	3	0.7
Architecture	8	2.0
Art	6	1.5
Aviation	6	1.5
Banking	9	2.2
Brokerage	9	2.2
Chemistry	30	7.4
Dentistry	2	0.5
Diplomatic Service	8	2.0
Education	5	1.2
Engineering	62	15.3
Foreign Trade	3	0.7
General Business	68	16.8
Importer	2	0.5
Insurance	2	0.5
Journalism	23	5.7
Law	40	10.0
Manufacturing	2	0.5
Medicine	45	11.1
Merchant	6	1.5
Ministry	5	1.2
Miscellaneous	19	5.0

Real Estate	3	0.7
Teaching	9	2.2
Theatrical	3	0.7
Undecided	27	6.6

Total 405

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The trend toward business is marked, as it has been in recent years, although Engineering is a close second and Law and Medicine still stand high on the list.

The ages of our Freshmen vary from 15 years, 6 months, for the youngest member, to 27 years, 6 months for the oldest, with an average of 18 years, 8½ months, which is about as usual. The exact figures are shown in the following table:

## Age on September 19, 1930

Age	No.
15 years, 6 months	1
16 " 0 "	3
16 " 6 "	8
17 " 0 "	38
17 " 6 "	43
18 " 0 "	94
18 " 6 "	72
19 " 0 "	45
19 " 6 "	48
20 " 0 "	23
20 " 6 "	10
21 " 0 "	12
21 " 6 "	1
22 " 0 "	2
22 " 6 "	1
23 " 0 "	1
23 " 6 "	1
24 " 6 "	1
27 " 6 "	1
	405

Average Age: 18 years, 8½ months.

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In size, the Class of 1934 is slightly over the limit of 400 set in advance. The following list shows the comparison with recent classes:

Class	No. in class
1927	385
1928	422
1929	388
1930	361
1931	430
1932	388

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1933	389	<i>Class</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Median</i>	<i>Mean</i>
1934	405		<i>Examined</i>	<i>Score</i>	<i>Score</i>

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For some years now the abilities of entrance students have been tested by giving them, shortly before college opened, the Brown University Psychological Test. The records made by recent classes on this test have been as follows:

1929	387	60.8	60.5
1930	360	59.8	59.5
1931	426	61.2	58.1
1932	387	61.6	61.5
1933	384	64.7	64.3
1934	401	63.4	62.6

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It will be noted that the Class of 1934 stands second only to 1933 in ability, as measured by this test. There is, therefore, every reason to expect that this class, the last that Dean Mason selected, will uphold, as the years go by, the standards set by Freshman classes of recent years.

# *Brown Interests of All Sorts*

*By Louis B. Palmer*  
*Busses to the Gym?*

Once again the question of whether or not the Athletic Association shall run busses from the campus to Brown Gymnasium on Elmgrove Avenue has been brought up, this time by the Daily Herald. Once again the battle is on between Dr. Marvel and the students, and, as previously, the former says "No" and the latter "Yes." As the "Evening Bulletin" comments, the contest has ended, temporarily at least "in a draw."

Dr. Marvel's contention, and it seems a fair one, is that the Athletic Association is not in a position to buy a bus, and that there is no need for one anyway as the U.E.R. provides ten-minute service with "comfortable and well-heated trolleys." The Herald counters with the suggestion that the A. A. hire a bus in the afternoons, and evenings when there are contests, aforesaid bus to carry paying passengers, thus providing direct transportation for the students wishing to attend the games. Naturally enough, the athletes are all in favor of the scheme, as they object to hanging around on cold afternoons waiting for cars, and also to having to pay the necessary fare.

We can sympathize with Dr. Marvel's point of view as we realize something of the expense involved in running the B.U.A.A., but it does seem an injustice to the athletes, some of whom are working their way through college, to make them pay to go out for Brown teams. At the present time it is costing each man somewhere

in the neighborhood of one dollar each week for trolley fares, and that for a service which one writer calls, at best, "erratic." At the time the new gym was built this question of transportation was brought up, but was dropped until things were running smoothly. It was hoped that all of the students would use it, but when one is faced with the prospect of a two-mile trolley ride he isn't so inclined to use the excellent facilities provided. The situation now is far from satisfactory, and the Alumni Monthly hopes that some arrangement agreeable to both parties can be made in the very near future.

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### *Football Schedule for 1932*

The 1932 football schedule will comprise eight games, according to an announcement made recently by Dr. F. W. Marvel. This is a radical departure from the custom in the past when ten games have been played. The tendency to shorten the season is a good one, and one which has met with the approval of players and coaches alike.

Harvard University returns to the schedule after an absence of several years. However, Princeton, Colby, Lehigh and New Hampshire, all of which have appeared as Brown opponents in the past are not listed. Of the eight games, five are at home, with the Harvard, Yale and either the Holy Cross or Columbia games away. The complete schedule, and, for comparison, the 1931 list, is as follows:

1932—Oct. 1, R. I. State; Oct. 8, Springfield; Oct. 15, Yale at New Haven; Oct. 22, Tufts; Oct. 29, Harvard at Cambridge; Nov. 5, Holy Cross, place undecided; Nov. 12, Columbia, place undecided; Nov. 24, Colgate.

1931—Sept. 26, Colby; Oct. 3, R. I. State; 10, Princeton at Princeton; 17, Tufts; 24, Lehigh; 31, Holy Cross; Nov. 7, Ohio Wesleyan; 14, Columbia at New York; 21, New Hampshire; 26, Colgate.

All games at Providence unless otherwise noted.

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### *Faunce House*

The general contract for the construction of Faunce House, the large addition to Rockefeller Hall, having been let to C. B. Maguire and Co. of Providence, as well as the contracts for the wiring and plumbing to Scannevin and Potter and the American Plumbing Co., work on the excavation was begun December 29th.

The building, made possible by a gift from John D. Rockefeller, Jr. in memory of the late President Wm. H. P. Faunce, will house the general offices of the Brown Union, the cafeteria, grill, Brown post office, and a new auditorium with an enlarged stage for the Sock and Buskin, as well as offices for the various student organizations, and will answer a much desired need at the University.

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### *Debaters Victorious Over Yale*

Gaining the unanimous decision of two judges and the audience, the Uni-

versity debating team won its first victory of the present season over Yale on January 10th in Marston Hall. The question was, "Resolved That Compulsory Federal Unemployment Insurance Be Immediately Adopted." In spite of the onesided result, the contest was in doubt until the final rebuttal. Brown's veteran Junior team of John B. Rae and A. P. Cusick defended the affirmative against a Yale negative duo composed of M. M. Feuerlicht and William L. Carey. Professor G. E. Bigge of the University Economics Department presided.

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### *Wrestling Meets at Brown*

In addition to the New England Intercollegiate Wrestling Meet which is to be held at Brown this year, the University will act as host to the outstanding wrestlers in collegiate circles when the National Collegiate Championship Meet is held in the Aldrich Gymnasium on March 27 and 28. It will be the first time in history that the national championships will be held at the University.

For the last three years this meet has been held at various of the leading colleges of the country and it seems likely that it will take a permanent place as the most important event in college wrestling. The meet is held under the auspices of the National Intercollegiate Association and invitations are sent to the colleges which have the best teams in the various sections of the United States and Canada to submit the records of their best men in the different classes. Those who have shown a high ability in their work are then invited to participate in the Championship matches.

Last year the meet took place at Pennsylvania State College, and was won by Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical College. Among the other institutions which were represented were Brown, Penn State, Lehigh, Duke, Ohio State, Cornell, and Michigan, Harvard and Yale.

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### *Seniors Elect Committees*

Election of seniors to three of the more important of the Senior Committees, the Spring Day, Cap and

Gown, and Pipe and Cane committees, was announced recently.

The men elected to the Spring Day Committee were as follows: R. F. Briggs, Chairman, J. F. Churst, J. M. Davis, P. E. Monahan, and R. H. Morey. On Spring Day the seniors don their caps and gowns and carry canes for the first time. The custom of carrying canes has died out at the University in recent years, but it is planned that this tradition will be revived by the present graduating class.

The members of the Cap and Gown Committee are: W. R. Kinnard, Chairman, T. G. Anderson, and G. E. Crane.

The Pipe and Cane Committee is composed of the following undergraduates: K. T. White, Chairman, C. B. Brown, and J. N. A. Micucci.

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### *Jug Board Elects*

At a special election held recently several new members were added to the staffs of the Brown Jug. This is the result of a competition which was begun earlier in the semester.

Among the men elected was Henry W. Palmer who became advertising manager. He is a member of Alpha Phi, the Brown Key, and is also spare goalie on the University hockey team. R. C. McCormick and L. D. Vandam were elected to the literary staff. McCormick is a special writer on the Daily Herald staff. R. Scheiner and H. A. Foxall were elected to the circulation department. G. A. Staffer was elected to the business board.

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### *At the Physics Colloquia*

Dr. Robert F. Field '06, former member of the Physics Department at Brown, now associated with the General Radio Company of Cambridge, Mass., addressed the physics colloquium on Dec. 1 on "The Operating Characteristics of Triode Oscillators." At the colloquium held Jan. 12 the speaker was Reginald M. Pease '21, sound engineer of the Bell Telephone Laboratories, New York, whose subject was "Facts and Figures of the Films." Pease has been closely associated with the motion picture in-

dustry in Hollywood in recent months.

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### *Sock and Buskin Alumni*

Play-goers who make it their custom to attend plays produced on the campus will be glad to hear that the Alumni of the Sock and Buskin are once again to present a drama of proved excellence. According to an announcement recently made, the play "The Ladies' Battle" will be presented in Rockefeller Hall on February 11, 12, and 13, with Professor Thomas Crosby in the leading role.

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### *Weekly Luncheons Popular*

Beginning with the new year, a special series of weekly luncheons at the Faculty Club has been introduced. The committee in charge is headed by Professor Leonard Carmichael. The first speaker was Professor Emeritus Francis G. Allison, whose subject was "The Transfer of Greek Thought." Then Lawrence C. Wroth, librarian of the John Carter Brown Library, gave a talk on "Special Libraries." The third luncheon, set for Jan. 21, had President Barbour as the speaker. The luncheons are held on Wednesdays at 12:45 p.m. They are proving popular, according to President James P. Adams of the club.

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### *Daily Herald Active*

It does our heart good to see our undergraduate contemporary, The Daily Herald, so very much alive this year. In past years that paper has started off well, only to peter out and fail to keep up the high standard set by its new board of editors. Not so this year, however. The sports events, literary meetings and general news of the campus have been well handled, and the editorials have been consistently good, but best of all have been the various reforms the paper has started.

First of all (and the agitation has not yet subsided), the Herald brought up the question of transportation of students to Brown Gymnasium, "out in the wilds of Elmgrove Avenue."



Various opinions have been aired, among others those of Dr. Marvel, who believes that the trolley service is adequate, of Prof. Swain, who says "Why not walk?" (Somehow we can't see the athletes walking four miles a day to practice) and the views of the students AND the Herald favoring the instigation of a bus line for Brown men. The U.E.R. has even conducted a survey, which showed that only about sixty students used the trolleys coming and going to the gym on the day of the test.

Then the Herald raises the question of building a new swimming pool, as it is recognized that the present one in Lyman Gymnasium is far too small for present needs. Following this, the question of the advisability of electing one committee to handle Junior Week instead of the customary two was raised, and as a result, at a meeting of the class of 1932, the Herald's suggestion was approved, 138 to 44. And now the heads of the John Hay Library have been respectfully requested to provide places in which the students may hang their hats and coats while using the reading room. The library is overtaxed now, and with students being forced to utilize the tables and chairs for their overcoats, the seating capacity is naturally diminished.

All of this sort of criticism, constructive as it is, is excellent, and the editors of the publication are to be commended. The Herald also reports that undergraduate attendance at athletic contests has increased greatly over last year, due to the use of the blanket tax. As the present blanket tax system is a child of the Herald, and as the paper has continually appealed to the students to attend all home games, it should be justly proud of its fine work. We are always glad to see helpful suggestions made, and just as long as personalities are kept out, we will continue to say "Good work, keep it up!"

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#### *Sock and Buskin*

Following the announcement made recently that the Alumni of Sock and Buskin would present a play in February comes the news that the Sock

and Buskin itself will produce, as their major play of the year, "Romeo and Juliet." The list of characters was also made public, and it is interesting to note that a Pembroke student is included in the cast. The chief characters are as follows: Romeo, J. E. Cadden, 1931; Mercutio, J. R. Wiren, 1934; Benvolio, H. S. Colony, 1934; Juliet, Rosa Rieser and Lady Capulet, Mrs. Rufus C. Fuller, Jr. The play will be presented at Rockefeller Hall on March 11, 12, 13 and 14.

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#### *Miscellaneous Items*

Andy Rotelli, 1932, captain of the wrestling team, has resigned his captaincy due to pressure of academic work; Phillip Rounsevelle of Chicago is conducting a class in archery at both the men's college and Pembroke; Mickey Alper's Coconut Grove Orchestra from Boston furnished the music for the Senior frolic held at the Biltmore Hotel on January 16; 328 members of the Senior class dilled themselves up and posed for portraits for the Liber Brunensis, 128 more than last year: the class of 1934 contains men from 22 states, and the ages run from 15½ to 27½, with the average 18 years and 8½ months; Paul Mackesey, captain elect of the 1932 football team, was awarded a bronze watch charm from the New York Sun inscribed "All American Honorable Mention 1930"; final ar-

rangements have been made for initial practice for a polo team; Dr. Leonard Carmichael of the University Department of Psychology was elected Treasurer of the American Psychology Association for a term of three years, at a meeting held recently at Iowa City, La.; an exhibition of paintings by twenty-four American artists was held at John Hay Library from January 12 to 24; pledging for the twenty fraternities will not take place until the students return from the vacation following the mid-year examinations.

A glider club has been formed at the University, to work in cooperation with the other glider organizations of the state; several ugly rumors concerning illegal rushing have been prevalent on the campus, but to date no definite action has been taken by the Interfraternity Governing Board; Frank Singiser, 1928, who was a regular N.B.C. announcer during the summer says that radio announcing is an art; rumor has it that Brown will be invited to join an Eastern College Baseball League in the near future; badminton made its debut at the University on Jan. 23 when several members of the Providence Y.M.C.A. gave an exhibition match at Lyman Gymnasium; the fraternity rushing system, always subject to criticism, is proving even more unsatisfactory, and will doubtless be changed ere another year has gone.

## Winter Sports Teams

With the first month of winter sports at Brown completed, the outstanding teams to date are the hockey and basketball outfits, both of which are the best to represent the University in years. The wrestling team has met with a fair amount of success, while the track and swimming meets so far have been extremely disastrous.

The basketball quintet, coached by Rufus Bond, has set a record that has seldom been approached in Brown hoop-team history. After eking out a 30-29 victory over the fast Boston University team at Boston to open the schedule, the Bruins continued their

winning ways by trampling Northeastern 42-32, and Clark 46-29, all of these victories being won before the Christmas holidays. Returning from the vacation, the team picked up where it had left off, and in a fast and furious game on Jan. 8, beat Worcester Poly Tech 32-28. Following this game, M.I.T. invaded Brown Gymnasium, only to go home on the short end of a 37-24 score, while on January 17 Wesleyan was defeated to the tune of 32-25. At one point in this contest the visitors led 21-14, but the home team, led by the brilliant Captain Paul Snyder, rallied valiantly, to

indoor teams. After winning the first pass its opponents, and annex its sixth straight victory. The play of Captain Snyder has featured every game, the clever forward having scored 87 points in the first six games.

The hockey team is also enjoying a successful season, being victorious in its first three games. Boston University was the first victim, losing to the Bruins at Boston, 5-3. "Wacky" Moulton, brilliant wing, whose play, with that of Eddie Crane and Penn Hargrove has been exceptional, was the star, and one of the Boston newspaper correspondents went so far as to call him the "outstanding college hockey player in New England."

The fast Middlebury team, four times the champions of Vermont, and undefeated until their appearance here, were blanked by the University team at the Auditorium on January 9, the score being 3-0. Goals were scored by Hargrove, Paige and Crane. Although outplayed throughout, the Middlebury team was a constant menace, and only by the fine work of Hargrove and Capt. Walls at the defence posts and Bob Hutton at goal was the opposing team kept from scoring.

A brilliant solo dash by "Wacky" Moulton in the final minute of play to break a tie which had seemed to indicate an overtime period, resulted in a goal which provided the necessary margin for a 2-1 victory over the New Hampshire pucksters on January 17. The contest was hard fought, with Eddie Crane scoring in the first period, only to have Croke tie the score at one all in the seventeenth minute of the third period. According to a local correspondent, the entire Brown team showed to good advantage, there being little to choose between the two forward lines, while the defense men did yeoman service in breaking up the Wildcat's offence.

But if these two teams have had early season successes, not so the other meet from Connecticut Aggies to the tune of 47-28, the natators were walloped by Columbia, 43-19, and by Harvard 44-18. Brown, although it has such capable swimmers as Capt. Ray Hall, Koebig and White, is relatively weak taken all in all, and such stars as Norm Arnold, Johnny Wells and Ed Sitler of last year's team are sorely missed.

The wrestling team, minus a captain, opened the season with a fine win over Brooklyn Polytech, 25-16, in a match in which all of the bouts but one were decided by falls. However, against Yale the matmen fared poorly, Wentworth being the only man to score a victory. The final score was 35-5 in favor of Eli.

Likewise the track team drew a tartar in its first encounter, losing to a well-balanced Northeastern team 45-27. Brown was strongest in the shot put, in which it took all three places, and in which Rolland Brown, '33 set a new indoor Brown record of 44ft. 6 inches. Capt. Wes Huse ran a pretty race in the 600 yard run, in which he set a new Brown record of 1 minute, 17 4-5 seconds. Freeman of Northeastern also set a record in the high jump, leaping 6 feet, 2 3-8 inches.

The Bruin basketball team, one of the greatest ever to represent the University, is living up to our prediction that its season would be successful, by continuing to win its games. On January 21, the team had its closest call, when a fighting Connecticut Aggies team went down to defeat before the Brown team at Storrs, the final score being 39-35. Capt. Paul Snyder, as in every game but one this year, was the leading scorer, making 15 points. Then, on January 24, at Medford, the Bruins trounced Tufts 35-25.

Although the Jumbos led at half time, 19-17, the University team, led by Snyder, came back strong in the second half to win handily. Snyder again was the leading light, scoring 18 points, with Jack Caulkins, his fellow forward, second with 10.

Likewise the hockey sextet has kept its record unblemished, adding to its victims Colby, 7-3, and Northeastern, 3-1. In both of these games the goal tending of Bob Hutton and the work of the forward lines stood out. The swimming team lost to Pennsylvania, 38-22, although Capt. Ray Hall broke the Brown and the New England record in the 50-yd. dash, in the excellent time of 24 1-5 seconds. The wrestling team lost ignominiously to Harvard, 9-28, but the track team evened its score for the season by soundly whipping W.P.I., 52-20, in a meet in which Patton of Brown set a record in the mile of 4:39:1-5, and Tom Gilbane broke Rolland Brown's record in the shot put with a heave of 45 feet and 3 inches. The 1934 team won its second straight meet, swamping Dean Academy, 50-13.

Scores: Basketball:—Brown, 30, B. U. 29; Brown 42, Northeastern 32; Brown 46, Clark 29; Brown 32, W.P.I. 28; Brown 37, M.I.T. 24; Brown 32, Wesleyan 25; Brown 39, Conn. Aggies 35; Brown 35, Tufts 25.

Swimming:—Brown 47, Conn. Aggies 28; Brown 19, Columbia 43; Brown 18, Harvard 44; Brown 22, Pennsylvania 39.

Wrestling:—Brown 25, Brooklyn Polytech 16; Brown 5, Yale 35; Brown 8, Harvard 28.

Hockey:—Brown 5, B. U. 3; Brown 3, Middlebury 0; Brown 2, New Hampshire 1; Brown 7, Colby 3; Brown 3, Northeastern 1.

Track:—Brown 27, Northeastern 45; Brown 52, W.P.I. 20.

## *The Brown Clubs Report*

THE NEW Advisory Council, as defined in the revised Constitution of the Associated Alumni, will meet for the first time at the University on Feb. 22 and 23, in connection

with the annual Visiting Day on College Hill. The Brown Club of Providence will again act as host to delegates from out of the city.

The Advisory Council, the govern-

ing body of the Associated Alumni, is composed of the president of each Brown Club, or a representative duly appointed by him, and an additional delegate from each club having a



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membership of fifty or more; the officers of the Associated Alumni, the members of the Board of Directors, and all Alumni Trustees not at the time serving on the Board of Directors.

The directors include the president and treasurer of the Associated Alumni, the vice-presidents and two representatives from each of the five regional districts, three Alumni Trustees, named by the President of the University, two members of the Association of Class Secretaries, one member representing the Alumni Monthly, one member from the Brown Faculty and six members at large.

Thus the Advisory Council is a true cross section of the alumni, the University and the leading factors in the activities that concern themselves wholly with Brown. It replaces the more loosely organized Advisory Board. It begins its work in a year when Brown needs every bit of backing that it can get from Brown men everywhere.

The Council, according to the tentative plan given out by President Victor A. Schwartz, will meet at 6 o'clock Sunday evening, Feb. 22, at the Faculty Club. After supper there will be brief talks by members of the University administration and the Faculty. Nominations for Alumni Trustee (Baptist) to succeed Clifford S. Anderson, '00, and for member of the Athletic Council to take the place of William C. Giles '11 will be in order. The meeting will adjourn promptly at 10:30 so that the delegates may go to the homes of their hosts in good season.

The meeting will resume at 9 o'clock Monday morning, Feb. 23, at which time President Barbour will speak. There will also be short talks by well known undergraduates, reading of the report of the special committee on the Alumni Monthly and its transfer to the Associated Alumni in May, balloting on candidates for Alumni Trustee and member of the Athletic Council, and nomination of officers of the Associated Alumni for the next two years.

The hope is that every Brown Club will be represented when the roll is called.

### *Providence*

With the members of the Brown Faculty as guests, the Brown Club of Providence was sponsor for a delight-

ful lecture, "The Psychology of Laughter," by Charles Milton Newcomb, at Churchill House on Jan. 7. Mr. Newcomb lived up to his advance notices as a humorist. His lecture was one laugh after another, and at the same time it had much homely philosophy in it. President Barbour who spoke briefly at the end of the lecture, gave praise to Mr. Newcomb and told some stories of his own which his hearers greatly enjoyed. Alfred B. Lemon '13, president of the club, introduced the speaker and Dr. Barbour, too. A buffet luncheon was served. The meeting was an unusually interesting one, a credit to the club and its officers.

### *New Bedford*

The annual dinner and meeting of the Brown Club of New Bedford at the Tabitha Inn, Fairhaven, Mass., on Jan. 13 brought together a large number of alumni who had the privilege of listening to two excellent speakers from the University, Dean Samuel T. Arnold and Professor James P. Adams, and of hearing remarks by two leading teachers and coaches, James P. Murphy '17 of the New Bedford High School and Linn S. Wells of the Fairhaven High School. Also on the program were A. H. Gurney, alumni secretary, and Paul F. Mackesey '32, captain-elect of the football team.

At a business meeting held immediately after the dinner these officers were elected for the next year: President—Wardwell C. Leonard '18; Vice President—Dr. J. H. Weeks '19; Secretary—Frank A. Walker '08; Treasurer—Charles F. Archambault '12; Executive Committee—Theodore B. Baylies '95, Nat R. Underdown '26, John B. Riddock '18, John W. Chapman '21 and John O. Talbot '26. Delegates to Advisory Council—President Leonard and Edmund Wood '76.

President Leonard, in his opening talk, reported the deaths of Frederic Taber '76 and Rufus A. Soule '99, both members of the club. He praised Mr. Taber's hearty interest in club and Brown affairs. He also regretted the fact that Dr. A. D. Mead, vice president of the University, was not able to attend because of illness. But he said that he was sure that Professor Adams would be an admirable substitute for Dr. Mead.

He was right. Professor Adams

gave a clearcut and stirring talk on the Brown of today and the Brown of tomorrow. He sketched the high lights of the recent report of the Committee on Survey and quoted editorial comment to show that Brown is on the right track in its efforts to take account of stock and then plan to improve its teaching, its student body and its curriculum. Professor Adams knows his facts; he has a convincing way of putting them; and he should be heard by as many alumni as possible before the year is over.

Dean Arnold in his quiet, friendly way told intimately of his work on the Hill, of its problems, particularly the problems connected with non-athletic activities and the fraternities, and of the personnel of the undergraduate body. He characterized the classes of '32 and '33 as among the best ever to enter college. He and Professor Adams made an ideal combination on the program.

Messrs. Murphy and Wells discussed ways and means of getting the college in closer touch with the high schools, and the Alumni Secretary told of the regional plan of the Associated Alumni, now effective, and of the work done to prepare the way for taking over the Alumni Monthly next May. Paul Mackesey said that there was no over-emphasis of football at Brown and that he couldn't predict a thing for the season of 1931.

After adjournment everybody stayed, and there was much talk informally before the visitors started for home.

### *Washington*

Professor Horatio Smith, chairman of the Department of Romance Languages, was the luncheon guest of the Brown Club of Washington at the Commos Club on Dec. 30. The meeting was arranged through the Alumni Office. John C. Weedon, Jr., secretary of the Washington club, did a good job on his end, and an interested group of alumni greeted Professor Smith and heard his informal and illuminating account of affairs on the Hill. Most of the football questions, we understand, he was able to answer satisfactorily, as he likes football and goes to all of the home games. He had some pertinent things to say about the report of the Committee on Survey, and he gave his hearers a quickening picture of the Brown of tomorrow if present plans are carried out.



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The Alumni Office is grateful to Professor Smith for his visit to the Washington alumni and to Jack Weedon for his work in arranging the luncheon on short notice.

### *Detroit*

Vice President A. D. Mead, Dean Samuel T. Arnold and Professor James P. Adams were the guests of the Brown Club of Detroit at a dinner and meeting held at the Detroit Golf Club on Dec. 29. President Arthur Kiernan '11 presided, and the visitors enjoyed thoroughly the hospitality shown them. (We regret that the account of the meeting had not arrived at the Alumni Office when final copy was on its way to the printer. But both Dean Arnold and Professor Adams have told us how much they enjoyed their visit to Detroit and how well they were treated while they were there).

### *Rochester*

Professor Antonio Mangano '99 of the Colgate - Rochester Divinity School, speaking at the January luncheon of the Brown Club of Rochester at the Chamber of Commerce, gave an explanation of the new treaty and concordat, recently entered into between the Pope and Mussolini, under which the temporal power of the Pope is recognized again after its suspension for sixty years.

Professor Mangano also touched upon some of the effects, which have already resulted, and others which were likely to follow, from the new arrangement. He gave Mussolini credit for outstanding ability and achievement in strengthening the Italian State, although he made it plain that he still adhered to his firm belief, so forcefully expressed to the club two years ago, that Il Duce, always and invariably, has been promoting primarily his own selfish interests, being unlike Theodore Roosevelt, for example, in this respect.

President Hebner was in the chair, and those present were Barbour '91, Brown '19, Cristy '16, Gardner '11, Honiss '08, Isaac '04, Maines '05, Taylor '98 and Holmes '03.

### *Boston*

Robert Lincoln O'Brien '24, honorary, was the speaker at the monthly

luncheon of the Brown Club of Boston, held at the Chamber of Commerce subject was "Russia," and he spoke from the viewpoint of a trained newspaperman who spent most of last year in the country. The club counted it a real privilege to have Mr. O'Brien, who is a former editor of the Boston Herald, as its guest on this occasion.

A full account of the annual dinner and meeting of the club, held January 31, will be given in the March number of the Monthly.

### *Chicago*

Dr. A. D. Mead, Vice President of the University, Dr. Samuel T. Arnold, Dean of Undergraduates, and Prof. James P. Adams, chairman of the Department of Economics, were guests of the Brown University Club of Chicago at its annual dinner held on Friday, Dec. 26 at the Drake Hotel.

Fifty alumni and undergraduates gathered to hear brief, interesting addresses by the visitors from Providence, and by Wallace R. Lane '99, member of the Corporation. Other speakers were: Sherman M. Strong '15, Vice-President of the Associated Alumni, and three undergraduates who spoke on the activities on the Hill—Ward H. Jackson on "Faunce House;" Lawrence F. Bateman on "Extra-Curricular Activities;" and James C. White on "Athletics". J. J. McKenna '04, President, was in the chair.

Immediately preceding the speaking an excellent musical program, emphasizing Brown songs was given by Furbur I. Marshall '19. A four piece orchestra played during the dinner and several reels of motion pictures were shown after the speaking.

The unannounced presence of Dr. Mead at the affair was a pleasant surprise to Chicago alumni who greeted the vice president with warmth. Dean Arnold's first appearance in Chicago was a memorable one and he renewed his friendship with many local alumni.

All of the subjects discussed at the dinner served to bring the University closer to the Mid-West. Officers for 1931, elected at the dinner, are: President, Edwin B. Mayer, '09; Vice-

President, Ralph G. Johnson '05; Treasurer, George O. Podd '20; Secretary, Joseph L. Strauss, Jr. '28.

### *Cleveland*

More than 60 Brown men gathered at the University Club in Cleveland on Tuesday, Dec. 30, for a dinner in honor of the fifteen Faculty members attending the meetings of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. Dr. David Steel '16, newly elected president of the Cleveland Brown club, acted as toastmaster.

Dr. Mead, vice president of the University and principal speaker, shocked some of the older alumni when he said that Brown had changed more in the past five years than it had in the preceding 25 years. He mentioned the changes in personnel of both Administration and Faculty. "We used to prefer Brown graduates for our Faculty," he said, "but now you can scarcely name a first rate college in the country that is not represented on the Brown teaching staff. These outsiders have brought to Brown new ideas which are valuable." He added that there was an entirely new spirit at the University as a result of the many changes that have taken place recently, a spirit of progressiveness.

Dean Arnold and Professor James P. Adams told of the purpose and results of the recent survey of Brown and Professor Currier called the Freshman class "the finest in years" and outlined the admission plans for next year now being made. W. Randolph Burgess '12, deputy governor of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, sent a telegram regretting his inability to attend. He was to have spoken at the meeting.

This was the first meeting since the election of new officers for 1931, which include, in addition to Dr. Steel, president—Joseph K. Burwell '13, vice president; Frederick S. Cross '26, secretary; and Paul P. Johnson '29, treasurer. Directors of the club for 1931 are: Dr. R. H. Birge '94, Frank H. Westlake '01, Lloyd Brown '99, Charles W. Hunt '04, R. A. Gillis '15.

Mayor Roy H. Smith '01 from Kent was among those present from

out of town. With him was his son R. H. Smith, Jr., a Freshman at Brown this year. H. T. Waller '01 and William A. McGuire '18 came

from Akron, and Samuel A. Steere '07 and Samuel J. Dreyer '22 from Canton. The Faculty guests should feel complimented upon their pulling

power, as several alumni, who haven't attended a meeting since the year of the "Iron men," came to the dinner.

## *Brunonians Far and Near*

### Faculty

Dr. Charles A. Kraus of the Department of Chemistry gave the lecture before the Franklin Institute, Philadelphia, on Jan. 15. His subject was "Solutions of Metals in Non-metallic Solvents, Their Physical and Chemical Properties." Dr. Kraus spoke before the Sigma Xi Club at the Connecticut State College in December on the subject, "The trends of Educational Development in the Sciences."

Professors Horatio Smith and Louis Landre of the Department of Romance Languages attended the annual convention of the Modern Language Association at Washington the last week in December.

Professor R. B. Lindsay of the Physics Department published an article in the November, 1930, issue of the Philosophical Magazine entitled, "An Acoustical Interpretation of the Schrodinger Wave Equation."

Professor C. A. Robinson of the Department of Greek and Latin Classics and Professor James H. Shoemaker of the Department of Economics were the Brown representatives at the student-faculty convention held in Detroit during the Christmas recess to discuss the place of religion in the college life of today.

Dr. A. M. Banta of the Department of Biology was the speaker at the December meeting of the Washington Academy of Science, held at the Cosmos Club, Washington. His subject was, "What the Crustacean Tells Us About Evolution."

Professor L. E. Swain of the Department of Physical Education, Dr. F. W. Marvel, Dean Samuel T. Arnold, Dr. Raymond T. Bugbee and Coaches D. O. McLaughry and Leo Barry attended the meetings of the National Collegiate Athletic Association, the American Student Health Association and the Society of Directors of Physical Education in the Col-

leges, held in New York on Dec. 29, 30 and 31.

Professors A. Ford Hinrichs and William Adams Brown, Jr., of the Department of Economics are giving talks on Russia in the interests of the American Foreign Policy Association. Professor Hinrichs addressed the groups in Utica and Buffalo, N. Y., early in January, and Professor Brown has spoken before several groups in cities near Providence.

Professor Leonard Carmichael of the Department of Psychology was elected treasurer of the American Psychological Association for a term of three years at the annual meeting of the association, held in Iowa City, La., during the Christmas recess. The association is the only national society of professional psychologists. It includes in its membership approximately 1200 individuals.

Professor Thomas Crosby, Jr., gave a talk on "Plays to See in New York," at the January meeting of the

women members of the Providence Art Club.

Professor Paul N. Kistler of the Division of Engineering recently made a survey of employment and production of Rhode Island manufacturing concerns for the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. He is president of the Rhode Island branch of the society.

Dr. Bruce M. Bigelow of the Department of History spoke before the Colonial Daughters of the 17th Century in Providence on Jan. 5. His subject was "Colonial Merchants." Dr. Bigelow has been making a special study of Rhode Island colonial history.

Professor Walter H. Snell of the Botany Department discussed football scouting at the weekly luncheon of the Kiwanis Club of Providence on Jan. 8. Dr. Snell has been acting as chief scout for Coach McLaughry for the past three seasons.

## Reunion Section

### *Why the Commencement of 1931 Will Be Eventful!*

The membership roll of the Reunion Classes now numbers 2200—the largest in the history of the University.

The entertainment of convening classmates has received more concerted attention than heretofore.

Special arrangements are being made for the Alumni Luncheon.

There will be an exceptionally able list of speakers in Sayles Hall.

The Associated Alumni will have completed its first year as a reorganized body.

The officers of the association have made a special effort to acquaint the alumni with what is going on at the University.

It is natural to conclude, from the

wide publicity given the "Survey Report," that alumni will want to see for themselves the changes that have been and are taking place and which make a new era in the development of the University.

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### *Why Have A New Era?*

The young man of today is being graduated into an economic and social environment that will rigorously eliminate unfitness.

Some of the earlier methods of scholastic procedure are obsolete. They are not planned to enable the recipient to resist the competition of the age in which he will live.

There is the growing conviction that the student who spends four unproductive years in any college acquires neither a cultural nor a busi-



ness asset. He is probably handicapped by a damaging liability.

Therefore the Administration, and the enlarged and remarkably strong Educational Staff of Brown, are increasingly determined that its degrees shall not be given to those who are indifferent to the original purpose of its foundation and who are content to "sit out" four years of residence—in short to merely "get by."

The Administration and the Educational Staff believe that the time has come when the candidate for entrance must submit ample—rather than presumed—proof of fitness and satisfactory evidence concerning his objective. And they further believe that the time has come when the content of the courses shall conform to the requirements of the period; that the serious burden of college work will not permit idleness or the carrying of unessential "activities" and that only those who actually demonstrate a high degree of intellectual achievement will finally reach the commencement platform.

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#### *Corrections*

The following corrections in the class lists printed in the December issue of the Alumni Monthly have been made:

1881—Gifford, Paul C., 73 Whittier Ave., Prov., R. I.; 1906—Peck, Edwin R., 34 Roxbury Road, Garden City, N. Y.; Newby, Stephen Lincoln; Porter, Carroll Winthrop; Randall, Wayne Lawrence, 136 Hicks St., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Schmidt, Anthony; Vernon, Grenville Phillips; Williams, Harry Leighton, 532 Madison Ave., Scranton, Pa.; 1911—Tompkins, Erwin Clayberg, 47 N. Stough St., Hinsdale, Ill.; 1916—Arnold, Lincoln Richards, 11 Arch St., Prov., R. I.; Burton, Nathan Benedict, 36 Randall Ave., East Weymouth, Mass.

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1881

Frank H. Gifford has invited the class to his house in New Bedford for the reunion dinner.

Samuel W. Culver, corporation specialist, now has his offices at 6 Beacon St., Suite 1026-27, Boston.

Miss Elizabeth Evans Hughes,

daughter of Chief Justice Hughes and Mrs. Hughes, and William Thomas Gossett of New York were married in Washington on Dec. 19, 1830. Rev. Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick '19, honorary, performed the ceremony.

Col. Henry B. Rose became Governor of the Society of Colonial Wars in the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations at the 61st general court of the society in Providence on Dec. 30.

1886

Plans for the 45th Reunion of the class are not yet definitely fixed. There will probably be a luncheon at the Faculty Club on Sunday, June 14. The rest of the day will be spent at Wickford as guests of Norman S. Is-ham. Special plans are in the making to secure a large attendance, particularly of members from a distance.

William Allan Dyer, Alumni Trustee of the University, was the Brown delegate at the dedication of McGregory Hall of Chemistry, Colgate University, Hamilton, N. Y., on Dec. 5 and 6.

1896

Although detailed plans for the 35th Reunion are not as yet complete, Justice John S. Murdock, chairman, reports that the Rhode Island Country Club will be the main center of the class activities.

The Rhode Island Baptist for December, 1930, said: "The termination on Feb. 19, 1931, by Dr. C. M. Gallup, of his twenty years' ministry at the Central Baptist Church, Providence, is an event of more than local import. The influence of it will be felt throughout the Northern Baptist Convention. Dr. Gallup is one of our strongest and most influential leaders. His word in the Councils of the denomination carries great weight. Rhode Island Baptists rejoice that he will make his home in our midst and will continue to be a dominant influence in the religious life of the denomination and the State."

W. Stanley Hawkins's business address is 624 Lincoln Alliance Bank bldg., Rochester, N. Y. Hawkins is in insurance work and is also leader of the Rochester Community Chorus.

Robert Clark Sanger died in Braintree, Mass., on Dec. 30, 1930, after a long illness. He was born in Franklin, N. H., Dec. 26, 1873, the son of Herbert and Lucy Jane (Mor-

rison) Sanger. He came to Brown from Phillips Academy, Andover, and after graduation studied for a year at Harvard Divinity School, but did not take a degree there as he had planned. In 1910 he received his A.M. from Brown, and in 1911 he held a fellowship at Columbia University on the Russell Sage Foundation. From 1897 to 1910 he was engaged in the wholesale and retail provision business in Providence and New Bedford, Mass. In 1911 he worked for the Bureau of Social Research in New York, and during the next three years was manager of the Christmas seal sale of the American Red Cross, a task congenial because of his interest in fighting tuberculosis. Then he went into the brokerage business, giving his time to sales and underwriting of textile securities of New Bedford mills. In 1918 he became field secretary and organizer for the Salvation Army; and he continued in this work intermittently until sickness forced him to give up. He was married June 27, 1896, to Mary Ormsbee Aldrich, who survives him, together with four daughters, his mother, and a brother. His fraternity was Beta Theta Pi.

1901

Amos L. Taylor, chairman of the Massachusetts State Republican committee, has been under a hot fire ever since the November elections in which the Republicans were beaten on all fronts. But Taylor has many outspoken defenders. One of them is Congressman A. Piatt Andrew of Massachusetts who said last month that if he were a member of the State committee he would vote to retain Taylor as chairman. "No one," he added, "could have worked harder for Republican success than he (Taylor). The defeat of last autumn was in no way attributable to him."

Lt. Col. G. A. Taylor, F. A., U.S.A., on duty in Cincinnati, has had several poems published in a Cincinnati magazine during the past few months. Among them have been "Silver Linings," "Towheads," "Georgetown" and "Point Pleasant." The last-named verses hang on the wall of General U. S. Grant's birthplace at Point Pleasant, O. Taylor is also the author of a short story, "Nancy Christnach," telling the story of an Army Christmas in Luxembourg, appeared in an Indianapolis newspaper.

F. W. Burke has been appointed special justice of the District Court of Hampden, in Massachusetts, by Governor Ely, who held the seat until he resigned after being elected Governor last November. Burke is a practicing lawyer in Westfield, Mass., where he is prominent in civic and political affairs.

Our 30th Reunion plans are under way. The committee has had two meetings recently and consideration was given to three different locations for the reunion. While we have practically decided on the place we are not yet ready to make known its location. All we can say now is that you can jump off the front porch right into the ocean. Several men who have never been to a reunion have already expressed the opinion that they will be with us next June.

## 1906

Plans for the 25th Reunion are under way. Several meetings of the committee have been held and another one was set for Jan. 24. After that a letter will go forward to every member of the class giving details of the program as worked out to date. Meanwhile, make your own plans so as to leave June 12, 13, 14 and 15 free for the Reunion and Brown.

One of the features will be another Bob Knight clam bake. Other good things are being developed.

Also, be sure to plan to stay until the evening of Commencement Day. A new Brown is in the making. We all want to see and hear about it as well as each other. We want every '06 man back, no matter how far away he lives! More news shortly.

F. E. Banfield's son, Richard W. Banfield, was a member of the Dartmouth Freshman football squad last fall. Young Banfield is also a swimmer, and we expect that he will soon be winning points for Dartmouth in the tank.

It is Judge Benjamin F. Lindemuth now, "Lindy" having been appointed Judge of the Fifth Judicial Court of Rhode Island as successor to the late Frank H. Hammill '99.

## 1911

Chairman Brent Smith, along with Earl Dane and Earle Arnold, are working strenuously on plans for the 20th Reunion. Detailed plans for the event are expected by another month, but until they are announced, the Committee suggests to every man in

the class that June 13, 14, and 15 should be kept open for a big time. The Committee also hopes to announce a plan whereby a greater number of the class than ever before may be enabled to return for Commencement.

## 1916

Richard W. Rowan, former member of the class, is the author of "The Pinkertons: A Detective Dynasty," which Little, Brown and Company will bring out next month. The book covers the whole career of Allan Pinkerton, a pioneer in the field, and of his two sons. Rowan has made a study of police methods, has written articles on the subject and also has done some international intelligence work. Two years ago he published "Spy and Counter Spy," which was first-class reading.

The committee in charge of our 15th Reunion is at work, and we expect to have a get-together next June that will even surpass the memorable time we had at Jamestown in 1926. Plans are not yet in shape to announce in full, but in another month we'll be able to tell you just what we are going to do. Meanwhile, we urge every member of the class to make his plans now to be present at the 15th in June.

"Frank E. Starrett '12, Ponlevoy." So reads the legend on the tablet that was unveiled at Worcester Academy last Armistice Day in memory of the graduates of Worcester Academy who lost their lives in the World War. The tablet was erected by "the old boys" of the school.

Steward T. McNeill is associated with C. A. Kilvert & Co., investment securities, Turks Head bldg., Providence.

## 1921

Dr. Eske H. Windsberg has opened offices at 223 Thayer St., Providence, with his practice limited to surgery.

Joel M. Nichols, Jr., had a two-column writeup in his home town paper, the Manchester, Conn., Herald, on Jan. 3, describing the success Joel is having as an advertising writer for the Federal Advertising Agency, New York. He is the creator of the advertisements, picturing and telling about prehistoric monsters, which are being carried in most of the magazines of large circulation to set forth the virtues of the products of the Sinclair Oil Refining Company. He got the

idea of using the monsters, we understand, from a trip to Africa, which he made for the purpose of absorbing local color for fiction writing. Joel, it seems, has a great desire to write mystery stories—he has, indeed, written a number of them—and he hopes to be able to give all his time to writing some day not far distant.

The Class of 1921 will hold a two day reunion at some place not yet determined, June 13 and 14, 1931. A committee consisting of Allan Colby, Ralph Knight and Myles Standish is in charge and in the near future members of the class may expect more complete information on the plans for reunion.

Rev. Edwin L. Thornton of Townshend, Vt., has the sympathy of the class in the loss of his wife, Mrs. Mildred Arnold Thornton, who died in Brattleboro on Oct. 17, 1930, after giving birth to a son, Edwin Lewis Thornton, Jr., on Oct. 12. Edwin Junior is now doing nicely at the Memorial Hospital, Brattleboro.

R. M. (Reg) Pease, sound engineer for the Bell Laboratories, Inc., has been making a survey of city noises and annoyances in Providence for the Noise Abatement Committee of the Providence Chamber of Commerce. The newspapers gave Reg a send-off on his arrival with his aids and instruments. If he succeeds in reducing the noises that afflict us we'll be among the first to suggest an honorary degree for him.

## 1926

Wes Wright, writing under date Jan. 9, said that he would soon be leaving New York to go to China as special representative for the Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation and that he expected to be in the Far East for some time. "Please give my best to any of my cronies whom you happen to meet around town," he concluded, "and tell them that I am awfully sorry to miss the good old Fifth Reunion."

Duncan Norton-Taylor admits that he is a little tardy, but that we might like to record (and we do) the birth of a daughter, Nancy, May 22, 1928, and twin daughters, Joan and Susan, June 27, 1930. Which, he observes, "is a history in parenthood that may be equalled by other members of the class of 1926, but, I daresay, not exceeded." Our best to Dunc and his fine family.



Al Rafuse, after a period of probation in Salt Lake City, Utah, has become manager of the new store of the W. T. Grant Company, Lansing, Mich.

A. N. Sen sent the Alumni Office a Christmas card from Calcutta, India, where his address is 80 Chowringhee Road. He asked that the greeting on the card include all his friends and classmates. It follows: "Christmas time is come with happy remembrances of all my friends of far-off countries. I am thinking of you from India and am wishing you all a very happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year."

Ken Corlew is in sales work out on the Pacific Coast, where his address is 110 West Carrillo St., Santa Barbara, Calif.

## Alumni

1870

Dr. William T. Peck, principal of Classical High School, Providence, since 1874, has given his resignation to Superintendent A. J. Stoddard of the Providence schools, to become effective next June. The Providence Journal, reviewing Peck's long and admirable career in an editorial, said in conclusion: "When, next June, Mr. Peck shall have completed his full fifty years as principal, he will take with him into his retirement the affection and gratitude not only of thousands whom he has taught but also of other thousands who realize that, by reason of his high service so long continued, Providence has been made a better place to grow up in, a better place to live in, than it could have been without the Providence Classical High School and the cultural influence of its great principal."

1874

Rev. Barnard C. Taylor is a member of the Faculty of the Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, and is living at 38 South St., Red Bank, N. J.

Dr. Virgil Clarence Pond, former president of the American Academy of Dental Science and of the Harvard Alumni Dental Association, died at his home in Brookline, Mass., on Jan. 3, 1931. He retired from active practice several years ago. He was born in Foxboro, Mass., March 5, 1855, the son of Virgil S. and Ann P. (Wood) Pond. He came to

Brown from the Home School for Boys and as an undergraduate was a member of the Wayland Literary Society. He received the degree of D. M.D. from Harvard in 1880 and immediately commenced practice in Boston. He was a demonstrator of operative dentistry at the Harvard Dental School, 1881-84, and was an instructor at the school, 1890-93. He was dental surgeon of the Massachusetts General Hospital, 1882-84. In 1893 he became president of the Harvard Alumni Dental Association and from 1899 to 1901 he served as president of the American Academy of Dental Science. He was a Lieutenant and then Captain of Company C, First Corps Cadets, Massachusetts Volunteer Militia, during and after the Spanish-American War. Pond was a member of the Massachusetts Dental Society, the Harvard Dental Society, the Mayflower Society, the Sons of the Revolution and the University Club of Boston. He was married in 1886 to Miss Maude M. Closson, who survives him, together with two daughters, Miss Ruth Pond and Mrs. Kenneth B. Bond.

1875

George Wilson Millard, one time secretary to the late Governor Charles Warren Lippitt '65 and stenographer in the Rhode Island Supreme Court, died at his home in Bristol, R. I., on Jan. 5, 1931. He was born in Burrillville, R. I., Feb. 5, 1853, the son of Lorenzo D. and Mary J. Millard. He came to Providence as a boy, attended the public schools and prepared for college at Mowry & Goff's School. As an undergraduate he won a reputation as a long-distance walker. After graduation he became stenographer in the Supreme Court, a position he held for about 25 years. He also had an office in the Chamber of Commerce building in Providence for some years after he retired from the court job. During the World War he served as a member of the draft board in Bristol. He was married July 2, 1878, to Miss Mary L. Munro of Bristol, who died in 1924. He is survived by a son, George L. Millard, and a grand daughter, Jean Millard. He was a member of St. John's Commandery, F. & A. M., Providence.

1876

Frederick Taber died at his home in New Bedford, Mass., on Dec. 25, 1930, after a long illness. For many

years he was one of the leading business men of the city. He was born in New Bedford, Feb. 26, 1856, the son of Charles and Sarah J. (Howland) Taber. He prepared at what is now the Moses Brown School, Providence, and spent one year at Brown before giving up his college career to join his father in business. He and other members of the family developed what in 1893 became the Taber Art Company, of which Frederick Taber was secretary. In 1897 the company merged with the Prang Company under the name of the Taber-Prang Art Company. Frederick Taber became vice president and then president, retiring in 1928. In addition to this activity, he served as president of the New Bedford Safe Deposit & Trust Company; president of the Taber Mill; assistant treasurer and director of the New Bedford storage Warehouse Company; president of the Automatic Telephone Company, which formerly operated in New Bedford; president of the Acushnet Co-operative Bank and the Morris Plan Bank; and a director of numerous concerns. He also was connected with the Moses Brown School in an advisory capacity and was a former member of the New Bedford Common Council. He was a candidate for Alumni Trustee at Brown in 1927, having been named for the Quaker vacancy. He is survived by his widow, who was Mary E. Williams, a son, Frederick Howland Taber, and two sisters, Mrs. Charles R. Price and Mrs. Edmund W. Bourne. His fraternity was Delta Kappa Epsilon. "He blew no trumpet in the market place," said the New Bedford Mercury. "A self-effacing man, he pursued the even tenor of his way." And the New Bedford Standard, praising him as a citizen, said that he "was looked up to as a man of sound judgement in financial affairs and a trusted advisor."

1880

James Austin was reelected Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, Division of Domestic Relations, Toledo, Ohio, in November, thus continuing a service of more than forty years on the bench. At the time of his first election Austin was the youngest man chosen in Ohio for this position.

1884

Albert A. Baker is Deputy Governor of the Society of Colonial Wars

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in the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations. Baker retired in October after serving three years as president of the University Club of Providence.

1885

Knight Cheney Richmond, mill architect and engineer, died at his house in Providence on Dec. 22, 1930. He had suffered from heart trouble for a year. Richmond was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., April 18, 1864, the son of Walter and Julia (Anthony) Richmond. He prepared at Mowry & Goff's School and after graduation from Brown went to Massachusetts Institute of Technology, from which he received the B. S. degree in 1890. He began his work as a mill engineer and architect in Asheville, N. C., and he continued it in many parts of the United States and in Canada. From 1893 to 1899 he was mechanical engineer with the Crompton Company; since January, 1903, he had been in business for himself as a consulting engineer. He designed the Olneyville and Wanskuck branches of the Providence Boys' Club and the new Church House on South Main Street. A tablet is dedicated to him at the Boys' Club because of his interest in the work of the club. Richmond was one of the original members of the University Club, where billiards was his favorite game. He did much to boost the game at the club. He belonged to the board of the Providence Lying-in Hospital, the Rhode Island School of Design, the Providence Public Library, and was a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, the Agawam Hunt Club, the East Side Skating Club, the Turks Head Club, Phi Beta Kappa and Alpha Delta Phi. He was also one of the proprietors of Swan Point cemetery. He was married Jan. 1, 1897, to Miss Phebe Ann Campbell, who survives him, together with two daughters, Mrs. Oliver Prescott and Miss Mary Richmond, two brothers and three sisters, Mrs. Henry B. Gardner, Mrs. Joseph Walker of Brookline, Mass., and Dr. Charlotte Richmond of New York.

Justice Norman S. Dike of the Supreme Court of the State of New York was chosen governor of the Society of Colonial Wars in the State of New York at the last annual meeting of the society, held at the Union League Club in New York.

1894

William T. Dorrance has been named assistant to the chief engineer of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, according to a statement given out by J. A. Droegge, general manager, at the beginning of this year. Dorrance has been with the New Haven road since 1915.

1895

John A. Tillinghast has been named a member of the Rhode Island Board of Bar Examiners, succeeding Edward C. B. Stiness '90. His term will expire in March, 1933.

1897

David M. White, editor and publisher of the Lancaster, N. H., Democrat, is a member of a committee of seven New Hampshire newspapermen that has accepted the challenge of a legislator to offer constructive criticism on State Government economy. The committee recently began a co-operative fact-finding project which the Associated Press describes as "unique in the field of journalistic endeavor."

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has received the plaque of Grand Officers of the Crown of Belgium in recognition of the interest that he has taken in the University of Brussels.

1898

Dr. Thomas J. Burrage's new address is 53 Chadwick St., Portland, Maine.

Frederick W. Arnold's annual Christmas play for the University Club, Providence, was given at the club on Dec. 20 and Jan. 3, the second performance being for the benefit of the ladies. The piece, "Wyoming Air, or The Chaperone's Romance," was the result of Arnold's visit to a dude ranch in Wyoming last summer.

1899

Rufus Albertson Soule, Jr., mill treasurer, died at his home in New Bedford, Mass., on Dec. 31, 1930, after an illness of eight weeks with heart trouble. He was born in New Bedford, April 28, 1877, the son of Rufus A. and Susan N. Soule. He prepared at Mosher's Home Preparatory School in New Bedford and from Brown went at once to work as foreign salesman for Hathaway, Soule & Harrington, Inc., cloth brokers, Boston. He resigned in 1901 to become a student at the New Bedford

Textile School. After ending his course, he became cotton sampler with the Soule mills. From 1904 to 1906 he was assistant superintendent of the Soule Mill; and from 1906 to 1908 he was treasurer of the Taber Mill, which he helped to build. He spent the next six years in New York, first with the firm of Heineman & Co., cotton goods brokers, and then as a member of the firm of Hutchinson, Soule, & Co. He returned to New Bedford in 1914 to be treasurer of the Soule Mill, which place he held at the time of his death. He served as a member of the New Bedford School Committee, was past president of the Kiwanis Club and the Brown Club of New Bedford, and belonged to the Sons of Veterans, the Sons of the American Revolution, the Massachusetts Society of Mayflower Descendants, the Masons, the Elks, the Port Society, the Wamsutta Club and Delta Kappa Epsilon. He was also a director of the Safe Deposit, National Bank of New Bedford. He was married June 22, 1904, to Florence May Renne, who survives him, together with two sons and two daughters. His oldest son, Rufus A. Soule, 3rd, is a midshipman at the United States Naval Academy.

Edward A. Stockwell and Elmer S. Chace '01 are now associated in the general practice of law under the firm name of Stockwell and Chace, 702 Union Trust bldg., Providence.

Charles C. Remington, our Class Secretary, has stepped down as judge of the Police Court of Providence after having served ably since Jan. 1, 1915. His defeat for reelection was a natural sequence to the triumph of the Democrats in the Providence city election last November.

1900

Lawrence G. Painter is in his 18th year as a member of the Faculty of Mississippi State College for Women, Columbus, where he is now Professor of English.

The Worcester Academy Bulletin reports the resignation of Dr. Joseph L. Peacock as president of Shaw University, Raleigh, N. C. Peacock accepted the presidency of the institution in 1919 and took office in January, 1920. He has done noteworthy work at Shaw, which is maintained by the Northern Baptist Convention for Negro students.

James Warren's new address is



1112 Park Ave., New York. He is vice president and treasurer of the National Electrotypes Company, with offices at 227 East 45th St., New York.

1902

The December, 1930, issue of The Mount Hermon Alumni Quarterly is dedicated to the memory of L. L. Drury, for many years editor of the Quarterly, Alumni Secretary of Mount Hermon School, and promoter of the Dwight L. Moody Living Endowment, which gave to the school approximately \$130,000 in the five years, 1926 to 1930, inclusive. Among the letters quoted in the issue were ones from Henry Natsch, Fer-nald and Wesley A. Paige.

1905

Rev. George D. Allison, pastor of the Willmette, Ill., Baptist Church, gave a lecture, "Glimpses of British Churches," before the State Pastors' Conference at Ottawa, Ill., on Jan. 6. Allison spent six weeks in Great Britain last summer and had a memorable time. He preached in several churches, played golf in Sherwood Forest, visited Rugby, where "in 1823 William Webb Ellis insisted on catching the football and running through the opposing team, thereby inventing the world's greatest game," and finished with ten days in London, where he was visiting preacher at High Cross Congregational Church. Allison recently ended a term as president of the Chicago Baptist Conference.

W. H. Albrecht, writing last month from Chicago, said: "It is no wonder you were not able to locate me last year; my work has kept me moving all over the northeastern part of the country and we have not lived in any one place long enough to feel really at home anywhere. . . . We like Chicago very much and I am in hopes that we will be able to stay here for several years." Albrecht is with the Interstate Commerce Commission as associate engineer, signals, and deals with valuation engineering and accounting. In his spare time he is studying at Chicago Law School.

1907

A welcome letter from George Burnham of the Pampanga Sugar Mills, Del Carmen, Pampanga Province, Philippine Islands, brought the news that George's company was making sugar again after a six months'

shutdown. "I am hoping to get back to attend the 25th Reunion," he said, "but it is a long way to go and one never knows just how far to plan ahead." He also reports that he sees Henry Corp occasionally. Corp is maintenance engineer of the Manila Railroad "and roams around the country in his inspection coach." George asked to be remembered to all his friends in the class and added that he hoped that some day some member of the class would come strolling out his way. We know that George would make a fine host.

Henry G. Clark has been re-elected president of the Providence District Nursing Association.

John L. Curran has become a partner in the newly-formed law firm of Dooley, Jackvony, Curran & Dunn, with offices at 915 Turks Head bldg., Providence.

E. Butler Moulton has been re-elected chairman of the Cranston, R. I., school committee.

1908

William C. Bitting, Jr.'s father, Rev. William C. Bitting, D.D., died in St. Louis, Mo., on Jan. 10, 1931, after a long illness. He had a national reputation as an exponent of liberal religion. For twenty-three years he was corresponding secretary of the Northern Baptist Convention. Brown conferred the honorary degree of D.D. upon him in 1910.

Earl B. (Bid) Conklin, for many years a resident of Syracuse, N. Y., where he was with the Solvay Process Company, has moved to Detroit, Mich., so Frank A. Walker told us recently. He is still with the Solvay concern.

Sidney S. Paine writes that his new address is 305 Meadow Brook Terrace, Greensboro, N. C.

1909

Billy Miller gave a talk before the Rhode Island Historical Society on "Early Rhode Island Silversmiths." He recently was elected first vice president of the society.

George Huxford has rebuilt his house at Allen's Harbor and extends the Class a hearty invitation to another clambake there next Spring.

Harry F. Smith paid a flying visit to Providence around Christmas time. All were glad to see his smiling face again.

Herb Sturdy has completed his first

year as Chairman of the Greens Committee of the Rhode Island Country Club. This famous championship course is being carefully maintained and improved under Herb's watchful eye.

1910

A belated but nevertheless welcome Christmas card from Steve Pyle, otherwise the Rev. Stephen D. Pyle, brought the news that Steve is the visiting minister of the Peking Union Church, the address of which is Nan Ho Yen, Peiping, China. Steve was in charge of the exercises dedicating the new organ at the church on Dec. 21.

1912

Kenneth J. Tanner has been appointed assistant trust officer of the Rhode Island Trust Company, Providence, with which he has been affiliated since January, 1926.

Max L. Grant has been re-elected president of the Miriam Hospital of Providence for the sixth year.

1913

Judge Ira Lloyd Letts of the United States District Court for Rhode Island spent most of January in Boston, aiding the Federal judge there to clean up a congested docket. In his relief role he heard only civil cases.

Norman S. Taber has become vice president of Brookmire Investors, Inc., and the Rhode Island representative of Brookmire Economic Service, Inc., with his offices at 209 Turks Head bldg., Providence. Since 1920 Taber has been with Brown Estates, 50 South Main st., in an executive capacity.

1914

Norman H. Whitehead has been appointed an assistant principal of the junior high schools in Providence. For nearly three years Whitehead has been an assistant in charge of guidance at the Technical Evening School and for the past year has acted as a student adviser in the day schools.

1915

William G. Thurber, member of the Board of Fire Commissioners, Providence, for the last three years, was defeated for re-election at the meeting of the City Council last month. The cause of his defeat was wholly a political one.

Clarence J. Lamb is practising law

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at 150 Congress St., Boston. We report in another column the arrival of Lamb's son on New Year's Day—an auspicious start for any youngster.

1917

Ken Flanders has been promoted from the Providence office of Bradstreets to the Boston office, 93 Federal St., where he is working on sales under the division manager. His home address continues to be 57 Methyl St., Providence.

Wallace Wade is now head football coach at Duke University, Durham, N. C. His last season as coach at the University of Alabama was his most successful, and critics agree that Alabama was on a par with Notre Dame as the strongest eleven in the country in 1930. Wade's system of play is pretty much his own, according to that intelligent observer, Lawrence Perry. Alabama's victory over Washington State at the Rose Bowl game in Pasadena, Calif., on New Year's Day was a thriller. It was also conclusive, as the score of 24-0 shows. Wade has done more than his share to bring up the level of football in the South, and we are rooting for him to continue his great work at Duke next fall.

Robert N. Foote has left the investment firm of Foote, Owen & Lewis, and opened an office in his own name at 623 Hospital Trust bldg., Providence, where he is engaged in the business of investment, supervision and management.

1918

Raymond H. Parker has charge of the department of fidelity and surety bonds of E. W. Shippee & Sons, general insurance agents, 85 Westminster st., Providence. Parker joined the firm Jan. 1, last.

John Sweetland is a buyer for Calender, McAuslan & Troup Co., the Boston Store, Providence. He is living at 146 Elmgrove Ave.

W. C. Nason is a designer with the Stone & Webster Engineering Corporation, 49 Federal St., Boston.

Peter Leo Cannon, attorney, was elected president of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick at the 31st annual meeting and dinner held at the Narragansett Hotel, Providence, on Jan. 6, last.

1919

Edgar J. Lanpher has been admitted to the partnership in the law firm

of Greenough, Lyman & Cross, 1130 Hospital Trust bldg., Providence. Lanpher is doing a commendable job as chairman of the house committee of the University Club.

Rufus C. Fuller, Jr., is Worshipful Master of St. John's Lodge, No. 1, F. & A. M., of Providence. On the night of his installation President Clarence A. Barbour gave the address, "Into the Unknown."

George E. Shields is office manager for Proctor Bros. & Co., 3rd and Merseles Sts., Jersey City, N. J.

1920

John A. McGhee, Jr., and Mrs. McGhee are living at 73 Medway St., Providence. McGhee is industrial engineer with the J. J. White Mfg. Co., 158 Pine St.

Daniel E. Whitford is instructor in mathematics at the Polytechnic Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Donald W. Height, former member of the class, is assistant superintendent of schools in charge of business, Mount Vernon, N. Y.

1922

Clarence S. Gray has left the Gillette Safety Razor Co. to join the industrial engineering staff of the Simonds Saw & Steel Co. at the Lockport, N. Y. plant.

Harold N. Molter is president of the Harold N. Molter Company, investments, 366 Madison Ave., New York. When seen on Jan. 13, last, he was still a happy bachelor.

H. B. Mallory writes: "Please change my address to 3688 Grovedale Place, Cincinnati, O., where I expect to stay put as long as the mortgage holders are not insistent."

Paul M. Chalmers is teaching at Girard College, Philadelphia, and is living at 15 East Albermarle Ave., Lansdowne, Pa.

John F. Quinn has been admitted into the copartnership of Woolley & Blais, attorneys, 301 Main St., Pawtucket, R. I. Quinn has been associated with the firm for the past three years.

"Moon" Glover continues alert and hustling as sales manager for J. G. White & Company, investments, 37 Wall St., New York. "Moon" is another of those Jersey commuters, with his house at 93 Baldwin St., Glen Ridge.

Bill Posey is associated with the Standard Sanitary Mfg. Company,

Long Island City, N. Y., as sales manager. Bill's job is to sell all those pretty bathroom fixtures we see in the magazine ads.

Gordon D. Smith is a partner in the stock brokerage firm of Coombe, Kerr and Pratt, 120 Broadway. Gordon is living at 30 Snowden place, Glen Ridge, N. J., and he admits that his two youngsters, a boy and a girl, are right up and coming.

1923

Noyes C. Stickney is principal of Bacon Academy, Colchester, Conn., one of the oldest schools of its kind in New England.

Harvey S. Reynolds has been admitted as a partner in the law firm of Greenough, Lyman & Cross, 1130 Hospital Trust bldg., Providence.

Arthur Braitsch, Harvey Reynolds and Lawrence Lanpher had a hand in the annual Christmas play given at the University Club, Providence, for two performances. Braitsch and Reynolds had speaking parts; "Larry" was property man and chief maker of off-stage noises.

Dr. John F. Murphy is a practicing physician with his office at 661 Hope St., Providence.

E. W. Hewitson reports that his new address is 85 Tiernan Road, Rochester, N. Y.

1924

F. R. (Fritz) Harvey is general merchandise buyer for Lane & Co., department store owners, Detroit, Mich.

Bill Perkins is home again from Alaska, where he has been working for the Kennecott Copper Company. When we asked what he planned to do next, he said that he might go to South America, or Africa, or to Yale to study for his master's degree. Bill certainly has seen considerable of the world since he left College Hill with us.

Frank Hough, writing that his new address is 3437 Portola St., Pittsburgh, Pa., added cryptically: "I cleared out of New York as of Jan. 1, and right now it looks as though I were going to be gone for a long, long time. Send along the Alumni Monthly with bill, as there seems to be no one around here I can mooch on any more." Watson, we must look into this.

Dr. Robert A. Goodell has been appointed assistant medical director of



the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company, Hartford, Conn. He joined the company's medical staff in August, 1930.

Philip E. Starrett, we hear, has quit the advertising business to enter investment counsel work in New York and Brooklyn. His address is 136 Hicks St., Apt. 3 F, Brooklyn.

Hans J. Gottlieb is instructor in English at Washington Square College, New York University. He and Mrs. Gottlieb and Miss Lucretia Gottlieb, going on four, are living at 735 W. 172nd St., New York.

1925

Bill Foxall, teaching at the Greenwich, Conn., High School, writes that he is having a good year and that a similar kind of year is the best he can wish for all of his old friends and acquaintances.

Emile (Ame) Hall is treasurer of the Blackstone Box & Paper Co., dealers in paper boxes, with his office at 303 Turks Head bldg., Providence.

Everett Marten, publicity director of the Cleveland Community Fund, has moved his offices to 604 Federal Reserve Bank bldg. We liked the Christmas card he sent us, even though he was looking a little too serious when the camera was pointed at him.

Al Parks has shifted the scene of his activities, now being with Bodell & Co., investments, 32 Custom House St., Providence.

Tom Taylor is doing a mighty fine job as coach of the Brown varsity and Freshman hockey teams, and we doff our hat in his general direction. We have heard that Tom has his Freshman squad on the ice at 6 o'clock in the morning for practice. Not that he and the Freshmen like to get up so early, but it is the only time that they can practice at the Providence Auditorium.

1927

Al Fort is living all about the business of retail merchandising with Frederick Loeser & Co., Brooklyn, and with Mrs. Fort and young Mr. Fort, whose arrival we report in another column, is living at 85-11 Leferts boulevard, Kew Gardens, N. Y.

Bill Maudsley is selling insurance for the Prudential Life Insurance Company, 111 Westminister St., Providence.

John McLain, former member of the class, is a reporter on the staff of

The Sun, 280 Broadway, New York.

Madison Hutchinson is with the Brown Publishing Company, Lebanon, O., publishers of the Western Star and Lebanon Patriot, and works on the news desk for both papers. He says that the Alumni Monthly "is almost my sole contact with Brown affairs these days," and he hints that we'd hear from him if he failed to get his copy on time. "I was grieved to learn of Dean Mason's untimely death," he said in a recent letter. "Mason was beloved by every Brown man of recent years and I'm sure that his death was a shock to every one, far and near."

Ambrose McAlevy is doing graduate work at M.I.T. after having spent the academic year 1929-30 at Catholic University, Washington.

Hal Rogers is with the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, or rather its subsidiary, the Goodyear Orient Company, Ltd., at Singapore, Straits Settlement, where his office is in the Union Insurance Company of Canton, Ltd., bldg. One of our correspondents sends the news that Hal plans to be married this month to an Akron, O., girl who is going to Singapore for the ceremony.

Henry D. Barbadoro is an attorney and counsellor at law with his office at 2 Park bldg., Framingham, Mass.

1928

Alex Buchmann is assistant manager for the National Surety Company at its Oakland, Calif., office, First National Bank bldg. Alex wrote that he attended some interesting meetings of the Brown Club in Los Angeles before his transfer from that city and that he saw Lincoln Fogarty, ex-captain of the Brown football eleven, when Fogarty was in San Francisco as a member of the All-Star East eleven which played a West eleven for charity's sake the Saturday after Christmas.

Al Cleaves is in the district office of the Remington-Rand Business Service, Inc., at 36 Buckingham bldg., Waterbury, Conn. He ended his period of training last June and, after three weeks in the Boston office of the company, went to Waterbury.

1929

Lieut. Paul Waterman and Mrs. Waterman are at Fort Crockett, Texas, where Waterman is doing duty with the Attack Group of the United States Air Corps.

Myron Taylor is an engineer with the B. F. Goodrich Co., Akron, and is settled in his new home at Hudson, Ohio.

Herb Luft is assistant to the manager of the Household Finance Corporation, 58 Weybosset St., Providence.

Doug Davisson, who is in the personnel department of the Western Electric Company, Hawthorn, Ill., writes that he recently received his copy of the report of the Committee on Survey of the University and adds: "If the report carries the weight which it apparently will, I am going to be sorry that I am not registered with the class of 1940. Certainly the plan will meet with success and I imagine many other universities will attempt similar investigations." Have you asked for your copy of the report? And if you have, have you read it? It's a great thing for Brown, and the future of Brown.

Irving Friar is a student engineer with the New England Power Construction Company, with his headquarters at 353 Harris Ave., Providence.

The Cleveland Press of Dec. 26 carried pictures of Mary and Al Cornsweet and described how they carried their sister, Miss Bertha Cornsweet, from the Cornsweet house as fire threatened. Miss Cornsweet, who has been ill, awoke, smelled smoke and fumes from an ammonia gas tank in the basement, and called her brothers before she collapsed. The family's pet Boston bulldog was burned to death.

1930

Dick Stedman has been commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Quartermaster section of the Officers' Reserve Corps. Dick is in the employ of the New York Telephone Company at Poughkeepsie.

Herbert T. Smith is a graduate student engineer in the factory training course given by the General Electric Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Val Bearce is vice principal of Union School, No. 6, South Fallsburg, N. Y.

A. H. Roitman is a salesman with his father's wholesale furniture concern, the Roitman-Sterling Company, 63 Dyer St., Providence.

George McGregor is a receiving teller with the Haverhill, Mass., Savings Bank. George and Mrs. Mc-

Gregor, who was Elizabeth Frances Adams, and whom he married June 18, 1930, are living at 6 Grant St., Haverhill.

Ed Sittler says that the New York Telephone Company is treating him very well, that he is daily becoming more interested in the work and that within six months he hopes to begin to produce something. Ed is living at 108 East 18th St., Brooklyn.

Bernard Tillman is a first-year student at Cornell University Medical College, New York.

Don Allmon is selling casualty insurance for the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, 10 East 40th St., New York.

## Engagements

Miss Rosemary Howland Vail, daughter of Mrs. Carl Montague Vail of Ridgewood, N. J., to Fred Elmore Sweet '23, of Princeton, N. J.

Miss Barbara D. Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Rogers of Brookline, Mass., to Trask H. Wilkinson '25, of Andover, Mass.

Miss Gladys Elizabeth Holmes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Holmes of Farley, Mass., to Percy L. Bailey, Jr., '26, of New York and Newport, R. I. Miss Holmes is a graduate of Pembroke.

Miss Frances Anna Hadley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hadley of Pawtucket, R. I., to George D. Morrow '26, of Pawtucket.

Miss Louise Harlow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Leonard Harlowe of Wollaston, Mass., to Frederick A. Wilde '26n, of Brockton, Mass.

Miss Martha Dorena Crawford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. J. Crawford, to Edward Pease '27, of Raynham, Mass.

Miss Katherine Rita Carey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Carey of Providence, to George E. Adams '28, of New York.

Miss Louise Smith Calef, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Calef of Providence, to Edward W. Lawrence '29, of Providence.

Miss Gladys Elva Parmelee, daughter of Harry V. Parmelee of Barrington, R. I., to Benjamin A. Church, Jr., '29, of New Haven.

Miss Isobel Fulton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Caleb C. Fulton of

Milton, Mass., to Murray K. Macauley '29, of Baltimore, Md.

Miss Lucy De Groat, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Elmer De Groat of Brookline, Mass., to Renwick B. Dimond '30, of New York.

Miss Mildred Frances Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gustin Allen of Beverly, Mass., to Donald J. Jeffers '30, of Peabody, Mass.

## Weddings

1916—John Lamson Eddy and Miss Madeline Cole Payne, daughter of Mrs. Marie L. Payne, were married in Providence on Dec. 31, 1930. Charles Brayton Eddy '21 was best man.

1923—Michael Wofsey and Miss Freda Nemoiten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Nemoiten, were married in Stamford, Conn., on Dec. 19, 1930. They the now at home at 86 Grove St., Stamford.

1926—Travis De Shon Wells, Jr., and Miss Nannette Hogan, daughter of Mrs. Emma S. Hogan of Bay City, Mich., were married in New York on Jan. 8, 1931. Gordon Smith '25 was best man.

1929n—Fred M. Knight and Miss Dorothy Mary Russell, Pembroke '26, were married in Washington, D. C., on Dec. 18, 1930. They are at home at 10 Belmont St., Pawtucket, R. I.

Lawrence C. Wroth, librarian of the John Carter Brown Library, and Miss Barbara Pease, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick S. Pease of Burlington, Vt., were married in Burlington on Dec. 27, 1930. They are at home at 129 Williams St., Providence.

## Births

Faculty—To Dr. and Mrs. Otto T. Gilmore, a son, Kenneth Otto, on Dec. 25, 1930.

1915—To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Lamb of Waban, Mass., a son on Jan. 1, 1931.

1918n—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Eden of Providence, a son, on Dec. 9, 1930.

1918n—To Mr. and Mrs. James D. Allan of Cleveland, a daughter, Nancy Jean, on Dec. 3, 1930.

1919n—To Dr. and Mrs. H. Lorenzo Emidy of Woonsocket, R. I., a second daughter, Christine Lorenzo, on Jan. 2, 1931.

1921—To Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Macmillan of Hingham, Mass., a son, Andrew, on Nov. 14, 1930.

1926—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Day of Providence, a son, Robert Tyler, on Dec. 21, 1930.

1927—To Mr. and Mrs. Alan P. Fort of Kew Gardens, L. I., a son, Alan Pope Fort, Jr., on Nov. 28, 1930.

## Pembroke College

Dr. Lillian M. Gilbreth, head of the Women's Division of President Hoover's Unemployment Commission, spoke before the student body in chapel, outlining the situation as it exists throughout the country and stressing the need for each one to do her part.

The Student Government Association is sponsoring a campaign to raise \$500 for the unemployed in Providence. The money will be turned over to the Family Welfare Society.

The inter-class basketball games were played during the week of January 12th.

The Russian Symphonic Choir gave an excellent concert on January 12th

in Alumnae Hall before a large and enthusiastic audience.

The Senior Class recently won the inter-class song contest.

The Athletic Association sponsored an informal dance in the Crystal Room of Alumnae Hall on January 9th, which was well attended.

Mr. Philip Rounsevelle, national authority on archery, gave a course for undergraduates during the week of January 5th.

The Varsity basketball team has arranged the following schedule:

February 28, Radcliffe at Pembroke, 3:00 P. M.; March 7, Jackson at Jackson, 3:30 P. M.; March 16, Wheaton at Pembroke, 8:00 P. M.

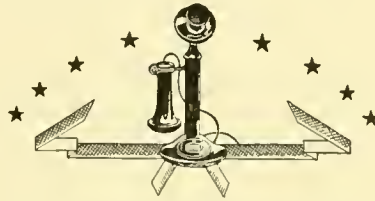


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The Varsity swimming team announces the following contests:

February 25, Wheaton at Pembroke, 7:30 P. M.; March 13, Pembroke, Radcliffe and Wheaton at Radcliffe 7:30 P. M.; March 20, Radcliffe at Pembroke, 7:30 P. M.

#### *The Alumnae Fund*

Within forty-eight hours after the Alumnae Fund literature was mailed there was reason to believe that the new system would prove far preferable to the old. Subsequent weeks have deepened the early impressions. The goal is still a long way off, but each week brings contributions from life members and new members. The gifts have ranged from \$2 to \$150. The fund on January 1st amounted to \$1180.50. Five times that amount will be needed. Last year the classes holding reunions gave over \$1125 to the college. This year the alumnae through the Alumnae Fund hope to do even more. A contribution of \$5 from each alumna is being urged.

#### *Noted Genealogy*

The new genealogy entitled "The Eddy Family in America," which was compiled by Ruth Devereux Eddy, '97, and published in October, has already been pronounced by several expert authorities to be one of the best genealogies ever printed. Its four-

teen hundred pages plainly bespeak the unremitting labor which went into the book for a period of eight years. The research work was done in many different parts of New England, where court-records, vital statistics, deeds, wills, and other documents were studied. The genealogy, which is also a history, is notable because of its clearness, exactness, and thoroughness, and shows on the part of the compiler not only an aptitude for minute attention to its details, but also a capacity for patient endeavor in the attainment of a definite goal.

During the celebration of the three hundredth anniversary of the arrival of the two Eddy brothers at these shores, on October 29, 1630, two bronze tablets were unveiled—one in Brewster Park, at Plymouth, Mass., marking the landing of John and Samuel Eddy, and the other at Watertown, marking the burial place of John Eddy. At the dedication of the latter memorial the historical address was delivered by Mrs. Eddy, to whom had been entrusted, also, the composition for the inscription of the tablets.

#### *Fellowships*

As previously stated in the Alumni Monthly, Pembroke College has received \$30,000 from the alumna of Miss Abbott's School for a fellow-

ship of Pembroke College in Brown University. Preference is to be given to a Brown alumna or to a woman who has spent one or more years in the Graduate School of Brown University, but alumnae from other colleges are eligible. The holder must be under thirty years of age, and must have had at least one full year of graduate work. Application blanks were sent from the Alumnae Office in the fall to alumnae who have graduated within the last ten years and have done graduate work. If any have been overlooked who come within the qualifications, write to the Alumnae Office and an application blank will be sent promptly. Applications must reach the Dean's Office by March 1st. The University also offers many fellowships.

A list of the fellowships and scholarships for study in foreign countries open to American students may be secured by writing to The Student Bureau, Institute of International Education, 2 West 45th Street, New York City. These fellowships are offered under the international student exchanges of the Institute of International Education to American students who wish to study abroad. They have been established as an international exchange in appreciation of the fellowships offered by American Colleges to the nationals of the countries concerned.

The Personnel Office suggests that those alumnae who are interested in graduate scholarships and fellowships will find it to their advantage to send for Bulletin No. 3, "Fellowships and Other Aid for Advanced Work," published by the Institute of Women's Professional Relations, North Carolina College for Women, Greensboro, North Carolina. The price of the pamphlet is one dollar.

The Cooperative Bureau for Women Teachers, of which President Henry N. MacCracken of Vassar College is chairman of the governing board, has written to the Alumnae Office as follows: ... "Of course I need not tell you our purpose is to have as many as possible of your experienced teachers interested in private school work come to us. We have done a little better for Pembroke

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this year than last. The publicity which you gave us last year may be the reason. Most of the time we find ourselves in the curious position of having more excellent positions than we have excellent candidates." The letter is from Miss Ruth G. Stratton, Director of the Cooperative Bureau for Women Teachers, 1776 Broadway, New York City. Dean Morris and President Mary E. Woolley, '94, are also members of the governing board.

#### *Class Reunions*

The classes scheduled to hold their reunions on Alumnae Day, June 13th, are as follows: 1896, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1928, and 1930. The Dix System proved very popular last year and we had the largest reunion supper in the history of the College.

At the annual Christmas Party of the Alumnae Association, Miss Nancy Dyer spoke with exquisite charm and sympathy and painted beautiful portraits as skilfully as though she had used her brush. The Brown Club Ensemble, composed of members of the Brown Alumnae Club of Providence gave several selections which delightfully balanced the program. The alumnae who played for us, under the direction of Miss Virginia Boyd Anderson, were Elizabeth Cooke, Barbara Littlefield Tanner, Ruth Marvel, and Ethel Levene.

The party brought back to College many alumnae who are only in town at the Christmas season, and included guests from Maryland, Washington, D. C., Ohio, New York, Connecticut, Vermont and Massachusetts, as well as Rhode Island. On this occasion the alumnae used for the first time the fine new piano given by the class of 1921 and the beautiful new coffee set given by the class of 1925.

The Social Activities Committee, to whom the success of the party was due, consists of Lois Campbell, chairman, Dorothy Gray Watts, and Gertrude Niven Roberts.

#### *Alumnae Clubs*

The Brown Alumnae Club of Southern California met on Saturday,

January 3, in Los Angeles at the home of Mrs. George McCoy (Elizabeth Collins). "The occasion was one of the most delightful we have been privileged to enjoy and was enhanced by true California weather—an azure blue sky and wonderfully fresh, rain-washed air warmed by our glorious sunshine.

Fifteen Brown girls sat down to a tempting luncheon of turkey and plum pudding, with red holly and lighted candles adding a Christmas glow to the table.

After luncheon there was a short business meeting, and we spent the remainder of the afternoon in a very enjoyable social time around the fireplace. Before departing we sang several college songs with old-time zeal and enthusiasm.

Those present were: Elizabeth Collins McCoy, Grace Redford, Mary Malcolm, Sarah E. Bunnell, Rachael Coolidge Price, Flora S. Gifford, Esther Anderson Orlander, Blanche Shiller Hook, Blanche Douglas Byles, Millie Church McKeever, Frances M. Cameron, Letitia M. Cahoon, Marian N. Hudson, Sue Shea Trescher, and Alice S. Maile." Corresponding Secretary, Alice S. Maile, 601 North Kenmore Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

## Engagements

1924—Amelia M. Harris to Bradford Fisher Kimball, Amherst, Ph. D. Cornell.

1924—Laura Udell Keilty to T. John Lyons of Attleboro, Mass.

1926—Gladys Elizabeth Holmes to Percy Laurance Bailey, Jr. Miss Holmes is a member of the Biology Department at Hunter College in New York City and Dr. Bailey is an instructor in physiology in the College of the City of New York. Both Miss Holmes and Dr. Bailey received the Ph. D. degree from Brown in 1929.

1926—Elizabeth Morse to Dr. John Finlay Taggart of Cleveland.

1929—Frances Barry to James Cain of Providence.

1929—Averill York Houghton to Harry Herr Wetherald of Providence.

1929—Frances B. Leonard to Walter H. Salzenberg, Lehigh '29.

## Weddings

1924—Verna McElroy was married to Stephen Werlock, Colgate '24, at St. James Church in Woodbridge,



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N. J., on December 15, 1930. She was attended by Irene Long Gleason, '23, of Brooklyn, N. Y. Since their trip to Bermuda, Mr. and Mrs. Werlock are making their home at 115 Main St., Woodbridge, N. J.

1924—Miriam Chapman was married to T. Bryant Smith '17, on July 4, 1930, at the Little Church Around the Corner in New York. Since a trip abroad Mr. and Mrs. Smith are living at 74 Washington St., Long Branch, N. J.

1924—Mary Weaver is married to Kennard Pinder and is living at 710 North Franklin St., Wilmington, Del.

1926—Margaret Matheson is married to William F. Orkney and is living at Denison Court, Groton, Conn.

## Births

1914—To Dr. and Mrs. Delbert M. Burnett (Harriet Baxter), a son, William Stanton Burnett, in April, 1930.

1925—To Mr. and Mrs. Roger B. Corbett (Faith Rogers), a daughter, Ann Frances Corbett, on December 30, 1930.

1926—To Mr. and Mrs. William Maudsley (Constance Arnold), a daughter, Kathryn Pettit Maudsley, on June 7, 1930.

## Notes

1908—Dr. Laura Brant is teaching at Ouachita College, Arkadelphia, Arkansas.

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1908—Audrey Lake Paine (Mrs. S. S.) has moved to 305 Meadow Brook Terrace, Greensboro, N. C.

1911—Bertha Payson has moved to Apt. 401, The Rockingham, 1317 Rhode Island Ave., Washington, D. C.

1913—Mildred Bosworth Brown is President of the Rhode Island Branch of the American Association of University Women.

1913—Ruth Ryther Purdy (Mrs. M. M.) is in charge of the adult education of the foreign-born women in Rye, N. Y.

1913—Minnie White Taylor of Cleveland is building a summer home at Little Compton, R. I.

1913—Mary F. Clarke is spending the winter in Paris. Her address is care of the American Express.

1914—Ruth Cooke Peterson (Mrs. A. N.) has moved to 5 Hidden St., Providence.

1916—Helen Burr is doing graduate work at Yale.

1918—Dorothy C. Allan wrote and produced a Christmas play at the Hope St. High School.

1919—Miriam Prentice Hickey (Mrs. E. J.) has moved to Apt. 26, 9 Ellery St., Cambridge, Mass.

1920—Dorothy Holt Simons (Mrs. F. L.) has moved from Maine to 169 Stratford St., West Roxbury, Mass.

1921—Anna La Fond Hurley (Mrs. L. F.) has moved to 900 Oakton St., Evanston, Ill.

1922—Caroline MacDonald is teaching at the Hamden Hall Country Day School in New Haven and is working for her Ph. D. at Yale.

1923—Janet Chew Carroll (Mrs. F. J.) is living at 58 Holmes St., Norfolk Downs, Mass.

1923—Dorothy Patten Lockwood, in a cheery little green-covered pamphlet called "Glimpses" sends greetings and gives a delightful account of month-by-month life in India and of the development of her son Patten, now nearly a year old.

1923—Ruth Preston Saunders has moved to her new home at 42 Havard Street, Providence.

1924—Mildred Carlen is living at Pension Ackerman Genthingstr. 711 Berlin W 10, Germany, and working on her doctor's thesis.

1925—Dr. Frances E. Price is head of the Department of Sociology at Louisville University. Her address is 1332 First St., Louisville, Ky.

1924—Ruth Clifford received her M. E. degree from Boston University in August.

1924—Malvina Grieves is an instructor in science at the Syracuse University Hospital.

1924—Hilda Hoffman, statistician in the Bowery Savings Bank in New York, gave a talk in September at the convention of the Financial Advertiser's Association in Louisville on "Profitable Savings Development in the next Decade."

1924—Ruth Vinton Chalmers (Mrs. W. E.) has moved from Pittsburgh to 321 North Brooks St., Madison, Wis.

1926—Marjorie Jenison Fisher (Mrs. E. D.) is director of activities for the International Institute of the Y.W.C.A. and is in charge of the clubs for foreign-born mothers and Girl Reserves, with headquarters at 241 Weybosset St., Providence.

1926—Elizabeth Fiske is director of the Springfield Girl Scouts.

1926—Catherine Long Helm's address is wanted by the Alumnae Office.

1929—Harriet E. Riley is living at 77 Myrtle St., Methuen, Mass.

1929—Kathleen Paquin Robbins has moved to Barrington, R. I. Her address is Box 266, R. F. D.

1930—Zelia Downing's address is 1208 John St., Baltimore, Maryland.

1930—Helena Hogan is working for the Family Welfare Society of Providence.

1930—Helen E. Riley is in the Social Service Department of the State Hospital at Taunton, Mass.

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